

ULSTER COUNTY FARMERS WILL DO THEIR VERY BEST

Census Gathered Promptly Shows Intention to Increase Acreage, Especially in Corn, of Which 3,000 Acres Additional Are Promised—Fertilizers, Tools and Seeds Needed.

The farm census of Ulster county is practically completed and the final report will show that the farmer of Ulster county realizes the acute situation which the country now faces and is doing his part to help remedy the present food shortage and relieve matters. Manager Hook of the Farm Bureau and a corps of assistants are busy compiling the final reports of the census of the county.

Report have been received from 203 districts in the county, representing about 4,500 farms and from the general summary so far compiled the outlook for the coming season is fairly good. On all sides the farmers of Ulster county are showing their patriotism and rising to the needs of the country in an effort to produce larger crops. Last season they reported using 6,957 tons of commercial fertilizers and this year they have expressed their intentions of using 7,508 tons. One of the crops raised largely in the county is corn. Last year they reported that they had grown 10,258 acres of corn and have this year indicated their intentions of planting 13,562 acres, a very material increase over last season.

It taking account of stock, the amounts of seed on hand and the amount needed in many cases furnished very interesting figures. Field beans show 612 bushels wanted and 359 bushels on hand for sale, while corn shows 1,639 bushels wanted and 2,562 bushels for sale.

Spraying Materials Needed.

Those who deal in spraying materials in the county should be prepared to supply considerable spraying material to the farmers this season. The farmers have signified their intentions of needing approximately 2,551 pounds of blue vitriol; 1,200 gallons of lime and sulphur; 822 pounds of paris green; 225 pounds arsenate of lead and eight gallons of Black Leaf 40.

Fertilizers Needed in the County.

The farmers in the county have been asked to state their intentions as to use of fertilizers and have indicated that their requirements for the present season will be approximately 121 tons of nitrate of soda, 1,482 tons of acid phosphate; 3,151 tons of mixed fertilizers, 12 tons of wood ashes and 88 tons of lime.

In the shape of farm machinery the needs are for six corn planters, thirteen grain drills and an aggregate of 159 other pieces of farm machinery, including plows, harrows, etc.

Live Stock in the County.

The number of live stock wanted is offset by the number for sale in nearly all respects except for breeding ewes where 366 are wanted with only 63 in the county for sale. This means that breeding ewes will be imported from the sheep raising districts of the west.

In the case of young pigs there are more than enough to supply the local needs.

Figures for the county show that there are over twice as many geldings as there are mares. Our potential ability to produce horses is not on a 50-50 basis as it should be. Fortunately our county has 42 stallions quite well distributed over the county and there were 259 colts reported in the county. This is but a small per centage of the 6,600 horses reported in the county. Consequently it seems advisable for more to attempt raising colts.

Poultry On the Decline.

Less eggs by 12½ per cent. were incubated this year than last year. Also the figures show that last year there were 4,188 heifer calves being raised for cows and this year only 2,646 are reported being raised. Through these figures the farmers have said that they must receive more for their eggs and milk products if the production of cows and hens is to be maintained.

It looks much as if the farmer who hangs on and raises heifer calves and produces hens will be in shape to get the returns when the resulting high prices arrive because of the fewer cows and hens we are producing.

Farm Population Figures.

Are the sons and daughters of the farmers abandoning the farms for the city life? The census in Ulster county would indicate so. The farmers report that 1,413 of their sons have left the farm for other labors while 1,234 of their daughters have left for the villages and larger cities.

How the Figures Were Secured.

Now that the figures in the county are practically all in the people who made the thing possible should be thanked for their patriotic work. First the Township Directors of Census who held their meeting and explained to the general public just what the census was and what it would do for the farmer, should receive just praise, also the district superintendents, trustees of the

schools, the teachers, pupils and farmers. All when the need of the thing became apparent came forward in response to the call of the state and within a few days accomplished a work which could never have been completed successfully without the hearty co-operation of the entire population of the county districts of the county. The farmer unable to leave his farm and join in the conflict at the battle front renders just as patriotic a part to his country by staying on the farm and raising food stuffs so that the army in the field and the people in the cities may continue to eat and live. Wherever called upon for assistance the Ulster county farmer has responded nobly and the outcome of the farm census shows this fact beyond a doubt.

JAIL PRISONERS SHOULD WORK

By Telegram to The Freeman.

Albany, N. Y., May 2.—Boards of supervisors throughout the state are urged by the state commission of prisons in a resolution adopted today to make immediate arrangements to employ the hundreds of idle prisoners serving sentences in the county jails in the cultivation of farms and gardens during the present season.

The resolution follows: Whereas, in many of the county jails of the state there are idle men serving sentence, and

Whereas, idleness is detrimental to prisoners, both physically and morally, and

Whereas, it has already been demonstrated in several of the counties of the state that the employment of prisoners at farming is not only feasible but profitable, and

Whereas, there are uncultivated lots and farm lands in the vicinity of these jails which could be cultivated by these idle prisoners, teaching them habits of industry and producing large quantities of various vegetables and other farm products, thereby reducing the cost of maintenance of these prisoners and at the same time contributing toward the food supply of the country at a time when such food supply has become a matter of the utmost importance, it is therefore

Resolved, that the state commission of prisons strongly recommends that the boards of supervisors, the sheriffs, and other county officials of the several rural counties of the state make immediate arrangements to employ the sentenced prisoners in the cultivation of farm and garden lands during the present season, renting such lands where necessary, and that this be done not only for the benefit of the prisoners and as a matter of economy to the counties, but also as a patriotic duty.

NATION OPPOSES MUZZLING PRESS

Influential British Newspaper Warns America that Liberty is Threatened by Such Restriction—Must Keep People Informed.

By Telegram to The Freeman.

London, May 2.—The United States is urged not to curtail any of the liberties of her people in war time in a vigorous article in the influential newspaper Nation today. In part it says:

"The close material and spiritual partnership between our country and America for the rescue of civilization, America coming in late and with her own spiritual resources as yet intact, can perform an incomparable service in helping revive the flagging spirit of British liberty at home. Liberalism here, as the otherwise unimportant incident of the suppression of our own overseas circulation shows, is a threatened cause."

It adds that the costly lessons of England may help the United States conserve her own domestic liberties. It continues:

"We cannot believe that Americans will consent to lay down on the altar of war one after another of their most precious principles of self-government or will pretend that self-government can be conducted on any other policy than of keeping the mind and intelligence of the people nourished with the fullest knowledge and the freest opportunities of communication and discussion."

The article is directed chiefly against "muzzling the press."

NO PEACE OFFER BY GERMANY CAN BE TAKEN UP NOW

Administration Officials Make Plain the Attitude of United States on Reports of Proffer Soon to Come From Berlin—Internal Unrest Stirring All of Europe.

By Telegram to The Freeman.

Washington, May 2.—No peace offer which Germany may make under existing circumstances will be considered by the United States or the Entente. High administration officials made this plain today in discussing the report that Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg will outline a new war plan for ending the war before the Reichstag tomorrow. The very fact that the unofficial advice make it plain that the new German suggestions will carry with them the declaration that Germany is victorious in the war, although willing to relinquish "conquered territory," will preclude consideration at this time.

Meanwhile this government is very anxiously endeavoring to learn further facts regarding the economic conditions in Germany. There have been many hints of impending changes in the German cabinet as the result of the present series of strikes and authentic advices to the government show that the unrest within the empire is being held in check only through the use of the sternest repressive measures by local authorities in several centers, notably the great shipping cities.

It is believed that any change in the German cabinet at the present time would aid in shortening the war. The people have followed the war partly blindly up to the present time and have accepted the chancellor's changed views on the submarine situation when he, at the behest of von Hindenburg determined that ruthless warfare should be entered upon. Now a change must be accepted as the first admission that the submarine campaign, while bringing admittedly great results, has failed as a weapon to strike England, and France and to bring them to their knees, in the opinion of officials here who are closely following the general situation.

With the Russian situation daily growing more and more complex and rioting in the streets of Petrograd now being officially admitted it is felt here that the internal situation in Germany must be very closely followed. The next few weeks must be fraught with serious consequences. England, in admitting that the ravages of the submarines are "extremely disastrous," is about to undertake a new series of economic. There is a general disposition to reduce the consumption of foodstuffs at least 25 per cent.

This will greatly aid the situation. Meanwhile the United States, through the federal shipping board and its advisory committees, expects to furnish the Entente with ships to take the places of those which are being destroyed. Under the new arrangement which practically creates an international shipping agreement, the shipping problems of all the nations will be handled direct from Washington. The Entente will furnish to the board here a statement of its desires. Vessels then will be apportioned to carry foodstuffs, fuel and ammunition in quantities that will ensure a sufficient supply reaching all of the allies of the United States.

Entering into the shipping problem is the question of the transportation of troops to the western battle front. The cabinet here is understood to agree with the visiting French military experts that the sooner a division is sent to France to be trained behind the battle lines there and then to take its place first on the transport lines and later in the trenches, being replaced at the various successive steps by other forces from this side, the better will be the effect on the Allied troops. The general staff opposes this plan but it is considered certain that it will be carried out. And it will require many ships to carry these troops and all of their equipment, thus reducing the available supply on the high seas.

The question of an early expedition to France will again be considered at next Friday's cabinet meeting.

Guardsmen Exonerated.

By Telegram to The Freeman.

New York, May 2.—Three members of Company I, Forty-seventh Regiment, who were held after the fatal shooting of John Smith, also known as Joseph Rostalski, for trespassing on forbidden ground on the waterfront of the E. W. Bliss plant in Brooklyn, last Thursday, today were exonerated by the coroner's jury. It was held that Smith was killed by soldiers in performance of their duty. The soldiers were Privates Arthur J. Reilly, Clifford Rhodes and Charles Signorette.

Autoist Fractures Skull.

William Kemp, aged 32, a salesman for the Universal Tool Company, received a fractured skull Tuesday morning when his Ford automobile skidded and jumped a stone wall in the North road near Poughkeepsie.

Seeking a Pig in a Bag.

L. W. Perry of Athens, advertises in the Catskill Mail for the return of a pig in a bag lost from his wagon on a trip to the Greene county metropolis.

NEW YORK MUST FURNISH 100,000

By Telegram to The Freeman.

Washington, May 2.—One hundred thousand men from New York state must volunteer for the army before August 1. Fifty thousand will be given chance to volunteer. The rest will be drafted. If the volunteer system fails, the whole 100,000 will be drafted.

Under the plan of apportioning quotas, New York state will furnish one-tenth of the military forces of the United States. Congress has also provided for a second national army increment of 500,000, to be called if needed. This bill is pending, but if passed will require New York state to furnish a second army of fifty thousand men.

When the war department a month ago called for volunteers to bring the regular army to war strength, New York's quota was 18,228, of which 3,348 have volunteered. New York's unit of National Guardsmen are not up to required strength. On April 9, the last report, the ranks contained 21,953. The full strength should be 38,233.

NINE VACUUM SURVIVORS LAND

Eighteen of Those on Board Torpedoed Oil Ship Are Still Missing—Captain and Gunners Among Those Saved.

By Telegram to The Freeman.

London, May 2.—A British patrol boat has picked up Captain S. S. Harris, master of the American oil ship Vacuum, which was torpedoed without warning last Saturday, along with eight other men and landed them, it was announced today. The port where the men were landed was not given.

Six of the nine survivors were United States naval gunners. The other two survivors were Third Mate E. D. Husted of Mount Vernon, N. Y., and the ship's boatswain.

Eighteen men are still missing, it was said. The landing of the nine men was reported to the London office of the Vacuum Oil Company by Captain Harris himself. No details were given.

The word "gunners" was used in connection with the six United States naval men but it was regarded as possible that some of the six may have been Lieut. C. C. Thomas, who has been missing since the Vacuum went down.

Of the 18 previous survivors of the Vacuum three were American naval gunners. They are George Wilson of New York; Frank Leshner of Elgin, Ill., and John Nichols, of Passaic, N. J. They were landed at Liverpool late Tuesday and will make affidavits for submission to Washington. Gunner Wilson said that the ship sank so quickly that her two guns could not be brought into action. Although not warned, the submarine was seen, only 200 feet distant. Wilson said that three lifeboats were launched instead of two as previously reported.

The report of Captain Harris indicated that four United States naval men were missing. The guns on the Vacuum were manned by twelve gunners under Lieut. Thomas, or 13 in all.

TRAIN HELD UP BY LONE BANDIT

By Telegram to The Freeman.

Sparta, Wis., May 2.—A posse of deputy sheriffs and farmers is scouring this vicinity today for the lone bandit who early this morning held up the Chicago and Northwestern crack limited train No. 412.

According to members of the train crew the bandit boarded the train at LaCrosse and remained in a forward coach until the train was nearing Sparta.

Brakeman John Hockett encountered the man as he came out of the door of the last coach. The bandit threw the brakeman from the train, entered the coach and forced the passengers to give up their money, then jumped from the train and fled.

Firemen to Conserve Clams.

The Hudson Valley Firemen's Association will hold its annual convention in Rensselaer on June 19-21. William H. Kolts was the director in attendance from Kingston. In keeping with President Wilson's request that the resources of the country be conserved, the directors voted to eliminate the clam bake in connection with the convention.

King Asks For Bread Card.

By Telegram to The Freeman. London, May 2.—If Great Britain is compelled by the submarine menace to go on war rations the royal family will not be excepted. The Daily News stated today that King George has requested that a bread card be issued to him if rationing becomes compulsory.

GERMANY TO TELL WORLD WHAT SHE IS FIGHTING FOR

Peace Program of Teutonic Belligerents to be Announced by von Bethmann-Hollweg Before Reichstag Tomorrow—Freedom of Trade and Not Indemnity Sought to be Guaranteed.

By Telegram to The Freeman.

The Hague, May 2.—The possibility that Germany's peace terms may be known to the entire world within the next forty-eight hours was the all-absorbing topic of interest in all circles today.

If, as reported from Berlin, Dr. von Bethmann-Hollweg addresses the Reichstag on Germany's war aims tomorrow, he is expected to make an important announcement on the military situation at the same time.

In the meantime Austria's keenness for peace is causing considerable friction in the relations of the Central Empires. Inspired articles in the Vienna press declaring that Austria-Hungary could accept peace without annexation caused much dissatisfaction in political circles in Berlin.

Theodor Wolff, editor of the Berliner Tageblatt and one of the foremost journalists in Germany, in forecasting the proposed peace statement of the chancellor, says:

"Germany demands a peace that will allow her freedom of trade and independence and guarantee her economic interests abroad shall be protected, whether they be in Sydney, Yokohama or Antwerp. The idea of war indemnity is not willingly given up, but it is useless to continue to chase what may end in disappointment."

Despite the declarations of naval men that the submarine warfare against England and France is winning the war and the statements by military men that the situation on all fronts is favorable to the Central Powers, the demands upon Dr. von Bethmann-Hollweg that he give in detail the peace terms of Germany have been growing steadily in pressure.

There are rumors of a political crisis in Germany and even von Hindenburg, hitherto the idol of the German Empire, is coming in for criticism. According to the Berliner Tageblatt, Dr. Cohn, a Socialist member of the Reichstag, proposes the appointment of a parliamentary committee to consider the German leadership.

IRREGULAR TONE IN WALL STREET

By Telegram to The Freeman.

New York, May 2.—There was an irregular tone to the initial trading in the stock market today with some issues making small advances. During the first fifteen minutes stocks were in supply at concessions from the opening range. The Marine shares failed to maintain the strength which was displayed yesterday, the preferred after opening 4½ higher at 83, dropped to 81½ and the common yielded 1 point to 28½.

Atlantic Gulf and W. I. dropped 2 points to 102½. Steel Common was also heavy, declining ¾ to 116¼, and Bethlehem Steel B dropped 1½ to 123¼. The railroad stocks were generally weak, Delaware and Hudson selling down 2¼ to 116¼. Union Pacific dropped ¾ to 136¼ and Reading ¼ to 94¼. Kennecott advanced ¼ to 47 from which it reacted to 46¼, and Utah declined ¼ to 115¼. There was some slight rallies after these reactions.

Bank Robbers Escape.

By Telegram to The Freeman.

Johnstown, Pa., May 2.—Interrupted while rifling the safe of the First National Bank of Lilly, fifteen miles east of here, after they had blown open the vault, five bank robbers fought a gun duel with officers and citizens and escaped in an automobile early today. They carried with them about \$1,000 in currency. Later an unidentified Italian was arrested and one bag containing \$100 in nickels recovered. Although a number of revolver shots were fired, no one was injured.

Wurts Street Baptist Church.

At the Thursday night meeting this week the subject will be, "Your Experience" and Dr. Fuller has a special reason for desiring the presence of all the members. Especially does he hope to see everyone who has united with the church since the tabernacle meetings. Every member who possibly can should plan to be present at 7:45. Bring your copy of Hymns of Blessing.

Find River Victim's Body.

The body of Herbert Coons, one of three young men of Athens drowned March 28, was found in the Hudson river Saturday afternoon near Catskill. The bodies of his two companions have not been recovered.

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work is proceeding with system and dispatch under the able direction of Abe Freeman, who has taken charge of the office in the Chamber of Commerce rooms. He is splendidly supported in this work by Captain Webb, R. B. Osterhoudt and J. H. Tremper, as well as a daily contingent of Boy Scouts, who report for duty every day after school ready for any odd jobs from running errands to sticking on stamps.

Major Chandler, general director of the census, reports that he has his forces in readiness to begin the actual canvass at any time after the 10th of May. Orders received from Albany state that the enumeration shall not begin until the authorities at Washington determine how the federal census is to be taken. If that is to be a separate census it will be taken first, and as it embraces only the young men of enlistment age it can be done more rapidly than the big census.

The women of New York state have been asked by Governor Whitman to lend their assistance in the taking of the census. While the committeemen of the various election districts are the chairmen of the work, they will be ably seconded in this county by the women of Ulster.

Women to Meet Friday.

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In the districts outside the city there has been a splendid volunteering of women who are sending in their names on postal cards furnished by the woman suffrage party. In town more volunteers are needed for the house to house canvassing. Let all young women who are willing to do this work send in their names on the coupon in to-night's paper. This is true service to the country whose immediate need just now is a complete Military Census.

Chairmen in Each Ward.

The chairman of volunteers for each ward are as follows:

- 1st ward—Mrs. Everett Fowler and Mrs. Rodney B. Osterhoudt.
- 2nd ward—Mrs. M. J. Drake.
- 3rd ward—Mrs. Monroe Burger and Miss Anne Heany.
- 4th ward—Mrs. George Washburn and Mrs. Frank Powley.
- 5th ward—Mrs. Ray Powley.
- 6th ward—Mrs. Grove Webster, Jr.
- 7th ward—Miss Jeanette Vogel and Miss Helen Stern.
- 8th ward—Miss Jane Van Etten and Mrs. George Hutton.
- 9th ward—Mrs. N. D. J. Murphy and Mrs. Floyd E. Edinger.
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- 11th ward—Mrs. Abe Freeman and Mrs. Benjamin Winne.
- 12th ward—Mrs. Mary Bruyn and Mrs. Vernon Hull.

POLICE BOARD ORDERS AUTOS

Will Have Ford Ambulance and an Emerson Touring Car for Patrol Purposes—Members of Force Will Drive.

At the close Tuesday afternoon of probably the first inspection the police department ever held, the police board went into session and decided to place an order with James Millard & Son for a Ford ambulance, which will be specially equipped and the board also placed an order with the Emerson plant for a touring car, which will be used for patrol purposes. There are several members of the force who own automobiles and know how to drive and when the cars are received it is likely that other members of the force will receive instructions in the art of handling a car. The police board by its action will tend to make the department up to date.

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SPARKS FROM THE WAR ANVIL

By Telegram to The Freeman.

Washington.—Increase of a cent each on both first and second class mail probably will be resorted to as a war time taxation measure. A three-cent stamp then would take the place of the now common two.

Washington.—The educational department of the government is fearful lest the "war fever" strip most of the nation's schools of their pupils. Warning against this was sounded today by Philander P. Claxton, commissioner of education.

Washington.—A training camp for 5,000 marines will soon be established at Quantico, near Washington. Wooden barracks will be erected and the camp made ready for occupancy in six weeks.

Washington.—Clad in the regulation field uniform of the United States soldier, Miss Dora Rodriguez has arrived in Washington with 2,000 feet of war film to conduct a two weeks' enlistment campaign.

Washington.—A preliminary \$275,000 has been raised by the Washington Red Cross Chapter for war relief work since the declaration of war.

London.—The staff of the British admiralty and its methods of dealing with the German submarine menace are both to be reorganized today, the Daily Mail announced today. The reorganization will be made by Premier Lloyd-George, Sir Edward Carson, first lord of the admiralty, and the war cabinet as a result of the growing criticism of the press and the official admission that the losses of ships are increasing. On the eve of the Daily Mail's announcement Admiral Lord Beresford, one of the great naval men in England, had declared in a public speech that "British shipping losses are appalling."

Amsterdam.—The beautiful old French city of St. Quentin, around which battles have raged for months, is being shattered by the guns of the English and French, says a despatch from Berlin today quoting the war office. It added that numerous shells have struck the cathedral, and that a number of fires have been started. Christiania.—The tension existing between Norway and Germany as a result of the heavy losses inflicted upon Norwegian shipping by U-boats was heightened today when the destruction of two more Norwegian merchantmen was reported. They were the Hektor and Langland. The crews were saved, the seamen of the Langland being picked up by a British warship.

WILL DISTRIBUTE POTATOES FRIDAY

Committeemen and the Places Where

They May be Found by Applicants Unable to Purchase Seed at Commercial Rates—Records to be Kept.

One bushel to a person and \$1 a bushel. That is the rule prescribed by the subcommittee on seed potato distribution working with the Chamber of Commerce garden committee which will give out potatoes to purchasers on Friday, May 4, the potatoes going only to those persons unable to purchase seed potatoes at the prevailing high prices for tubers. A list of applicants, the quantities allotted, the location and area of the ground to be planted, will all be recorded by the committeemen who will make the distribution on Friday at the following places:

- 1st ward—Frank Byer, 239 Fair street.
- 2nd ward—F. B. Matthews, 15 Railroad avenue.
- 3rd ward—A. E. Dederick, 57 Foxhall avenue.
- 4th ward—Aaron Katz, 159 Hasbrouck avenue.
- 5th ward—W. P. Crane, 43 Abruy street.
- 6th ward—E. N. Parish, 117 Broadway.
- 7th ward—S. Stern, 42 Broadway.
- 8th ward—S. E. Eighmey, 24 Broadway.
- 9th ward—Peter Barmann, 24 Barmann avenue.
- 10th ward—H. R. Brigham, 729 Broadway.
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Doings of the Van Loons-

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NOTICE TO PATRONS

This Brewery will be closed all day Thursday, May 3 so that our workmen may enjoy a Holiday.

No orders will be taken or delivered on that date. Orders must therefore be received in advance for Thursday's needs.

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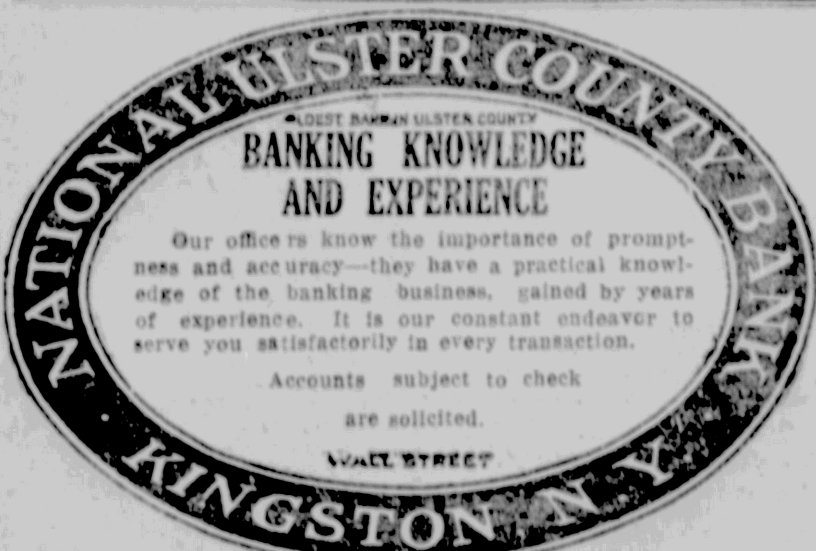
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With no weighty problems to disturb the serenity of the occasion the regular monthly meeting of the city fathers held on Tuesday evening at the city hall consumed but a brief period of time, it being the shortest session of the year.

In the absence of President Walter P. Crane, the council elected Alderman Connelly temporary chairman and he presided at the session which was attended by Aldermen McKitterick, Schick, Leverich, Parish, Fischer, Kullman, Brown and Connelly. The absentees were President Crane, and Aldermen Smith, Marquardt, Shultis, Hall and Puert to the board.

The city treasurer was authorized to extend the time limit twenty days to property owners who had not paid city taxes on the motion of Alderman Schick.

City Treasurer Ward B. Everett reported that full payment of the 75 per cent assessment on both the Cornell and Andrew streets sewers had been paid.

Alderman Schick, chairman of the building committee, reported that the contract to clean the city hall had been let, as related in The Freeman at the time, and that the committee had engaged Architect Teller to supervise the work.

The board of public works reported what action it had taken on resolutions of the city fathers adopted at the last session and sent to the board. Although Alderman Schick did not mention it during the session, he was responsible for the placing of the two handsome American flags that hung in the council chamber. As chairman of the building committee he had purchased the flags and sent to it that they were hung properly.

LAKE KATRINE.

Lake Katrine, May 2.—The Lake Katrine Dramatic Club will give the play, "Peleg and Peter," which they have given with wonderful success at Lake Katrine, Ulster Park and Stone Ridge, at the T. X. T. Club house, Flatbush, on Thursday evening of this week at 8 p. m. Dancing will follow the play.

There was a good attendance at Sunday school on Sunday last. Clinton Lauson and Elizabeth Hennigan sang "The Palms" with chorus sung by the school. The subject of the lesson for the day was "The Triumphal Entry."

A party of ten, chaperoned by Mrs. Henry Myer and daughter, Elsie, attended the dance at the Grange Hall last week and spent the night at Camp Vignes.

Joel Brink is attending the session of assembly at Albany.

H. W. Davis and family spent Sunday at the home of Franklin Snyder.

Minnie Hennigan is spending the week with her parents.

Frank Loosa of Hurley visited Frank Brink at Lake Katrine recently.

George Shultis has rented his home on the Saugerties road to Mr. Keogh of Kingston.

Singing class, conducted by Prof. W. Whiting Fredenburgh, is gaining in attendance and interest each week. The subject for study for last week was "Frederick Handel."

On Friday evening next the life, character and influence of Beethoven will be discussed.

On Friday evening, May 11, Mr. Walker's Sunday school class of the Elmendorf Street Presbyterian Church, Kingston, will give a play entitled, "Country Folks" at the Lake Katrine Grange Hall. Dancing will follow the play. This play has been given several times with success and it promises to be full of interest. The cast of characters will be given later.

Mr. and Mrs. John Pall and son, Gabor, and wife, of East Kingston, called on Mrs. Clinton Carle recently.

Wesley Parish has returned home from Cornell University.

Brink Bros. have rented their bungalow for the season to Charles Sweetman of Brooklyn.

Mrs. David Kieffer, who is ill with arthritis, is improving slowly.

Miss Edith Myers of Hurley called on Mrs. William Brink on Saturday.

Friday from her country home at Lebanon Springs and visited the Misses Ida and Emma Brink, returning home on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Augustus Shufeldt are getting the camp owned by F. M. Brink ready to occupy for the season.

Mrs. George Orr is cleaning her camp and getting it in readiness for Mrs. Wallace of Brooklyn.

Peter Legg of Brooklyn visited his brother, Edward Legg, on Wednesday.

FLATBUSH.

Flatbush, May 2.—Miss Emma DeGraft of Kingston spent the week end as the guest of Miss Helen Woolsey.

Andrew Ketterson, who has just graduated from Spencer's Business College, has a position at Rifton.

The Camp Fire Girls are rehearsing for their play to be given very soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Boice, who have spent the winter in New York, have returned to their farm here.

Mrs. Ida Burhans, who has been spending the winter in Kingston, has returned to her home here.

On Thursday afternoon of last week Miss Juanita Burhans, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Burhans, and Albert D. Woolsey were married at High Falls by the Rev. George Danegron, a former pastor here.

Mrs. Raymond Osterhout was matron of honor and Raymond Osterhout the best man. The bride wore a brown cloth suit with large hat to match. The happy couple returned to the bride's home where a reception followed. Only the immediate relatives were present owing to the ill health of the bride's mother. The bride's reception dress was of pink crepe de chine and she carried white roses. The matron of honor wore green silk and wore pink and white sweet peas. The bride and groom with their attendants received their guests in front of a mantel banked with greens and pink flowers. They were the recipients of many pretty and useful gifts. During the evening refreshments were served in the dining room, the table decorations being yellow and white. Later music and dancing were enjoyed. The young couple have the best wishes of their many friends for a long and happy life.

Mrs. Worthington of Brooklyn, who has been the guest of Mrs. Fred Burhans, has returned home.

Chester Swart while working for F. C. Burhans in Bordentown, New Jersey, fell from the top of an ice house to the ground. Ernest Seamon, who saw him fall, caught his head, which saved him from striking a piece of iron. While rendered unconscious for some time, he sustained only severe bruises and returned to his home here Thursday.

The boys gave Mr. and Mrs. Albert Woolsey a skimmington on Friday night.

Fred Burhans and family expect to move to Kingston in the near future.

Ben Cheshire, Harry Myers, Winfield Swart and Robert Shipman have each purchased a motorcycle.

The contest between the Reds and Blues in Sunday school seems to be bringing out more children. Owing to the illness of the Rev. Mr. Hoag there was no preaching Sunday morning.

ULSTER PARK.

Ulster Park, May 1.—Miss Dorothy Fuchs of Esopus and Mary Burger of Union Center spent Sunday in Ulster Park.

Miss Julia Churchwell spent Sunday afternoon with friends in Ulster Park.

John Van Oostenbrugge of New City motored to Albany Saturday afternoon, stopping at this place for his mother, who accompanied him. Mrs. Van Oostenbrugge returned home Monday.

Miss Gladys Pennington of Vassar College spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Pennington.

H. V. Story, who has been seriously ill with inflammatory rheumatism, is slowly recovering.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Zweifel of Napanoch and Mr. and Mrs. Garret Brown of Ellenville motored to this place Sunday afternoon and called on their aunt, Mrs. I. D. Churchwell.

Miss Rachel Hoffman of Kingston spent the week end with Miss Catherine Gardiner.

The Rev. C. Van Oostenbrugge leaves Wednesday to spend a few days at Albany and Kinderhook. He also expects to visit his son, Horace, who is a member of Company E of Schenectady. Mr. Van Oostenbrugge will return Saturday.

MT. TREMPER.

Mt. Tremper, May 2.—The school children are practicing for Arbor Day exercises which will be held at the church hall on Friday. A cordial invitation is extended to all to attend.

A very nice program has been arranged by the teachers.

The Misses Letta, Hannah and Frances Randall spent Saturday in Kingston. They motored down with "Bob" Gross.

Mrs. John Davidson, Mrs. William

Woodhouse, William Davidson and Douglas Ferris, all of Williamsbridge, N. Y., are at the "Davidson Cottage," Mr. and Mrs. Horace Maxon of Kingston and Mr. and Mrs. G. Edwin Wilber of Lake Hill, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Norman D. Wilber on Sunday.

John Gardner has returned from Kingston where he has been the past two weeks as a juror on the Van Aken trial.

Mrs. Phoebe Maloy of New York city visited her sister, Mrs. John Gardner, last week.

Mr. Baylor, Mr. Frohlich and Mark Lockwood, all of Kingston, enjoyed a fishing trip here Sunday.

Mrs. Blair of New York is at her cottage here.

WEST PARK.

West Park, May 1.—Mr. and Mrs. A. Johnson of Hawley's, Corners, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Drake.

A dance will be held at Esopus on Saturday evening under the auspices of the Patriotic Order, Sons of America.

John Burroughs spent Wednesday in Newburgh.

The dancing class will meet at the home of Mrs. Arthur Kirby on Wednesday evening.

Wells Dumont spent Friday in Poughkeepsie.

Percy Green of Alfred arrived in town on Thursday, where he expects to remain for the remainder of the season.

Mrs. Uriah Decker of Highland spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Gilbert Drake.

Mrs. Henrietta Mackey of Plutarch spent a few days last week with friends in this place.

Mrs. Frank Coutant is entertaining her niece from Washington, D. C.

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THE KITCHEN CABINET

People seldom improve when they have no other model but themselves to copy after.—Goldsmith.

SEASONABLE DISHES.

Variety is the aim of most cooks, together with economy and palatability; we have three very important points to consider. The following dishes may prove suggestive:

Flaked Fish and Vegetable Hash.—Take equal parts of cold boiled potatoes,

beets, carrots and turnips finely chopped. Season to taste with paprika, celery salt and a quarter of a cupful of cream, season with a teaspoonful of Worcestershire sauce and turn into a heated frying pan which has been greased with a tablespoonful of bacon fat. Stir the hash rapidly until well heated, roll and let brown, turn on to a hot platter as an omelet.

Eggs Scrambled With Dried Beef.—Cover six slices of dried beef with boiling water, let stand ten minutes, and drain; if not too salty this is not necessary; shred in small pieces. Beat two eggs slightly, add three tablespoonfuls of milk, and the beef. Melt two tablespoonfuls of butter in a saucepan, add the egg mixture and stir until of a creamy consistency.

Baked Rice With Cheese.—Put a cupful of rice into a quart of boiling water with 1 1/2 teaspoonfuls of salt, cook for an hour or until soft. Melt three tablespoonfuls of butter, add three of oil, and when smooth add two cupfuls of hot milk; cook until smooth and thick, then add one cupful of finely cut cheese and mix lightly with the rice. Put into a buttered baking dish and cover with buttered crumbs. Brown and serve piping hot.

Pear Salad.—Place halves of canned pears on head lettuce served with the following: Two tablespoonfuls of olive oil, one teaspoonful of vinegar, salt, pepper and a bit of French mustard to taste. Roquefort cheese may be added, a tablespoonful or two mixed with the dressing, and the pears may be cut in strips and served on crisp watercress.

Vesuvius Eggs.—Toast slices of bread cut three-quarters of an inch thick. Butter them after trimming in squares. Heap high on each the stiffly beaten white of an egg and slip an unbroken yolk into the depression. Put into a hot oven and cook until the egg is set. Garnish with parsley and herbs.

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Deposits made on or before May 3, 1917, and remaining in bank until Jan. 1, 1918, will be credited with eight months' interest.

Interest will be paid on all sums from one dollar to three thousand dollars.

Accounts may be opened by mail for which a bank book will be forwarded on receipt of New York draft, certified check, postoffice or express money order.

Rooms for the convenience of ladies are a feature of the banking house.

Interest at the rate of 4% per annum was declared for six months ending December 31, 1916.

Deposits commence to draw interest from the first of each month. Money withdrawn before January 1 and July 1 will not be entitled to interest.

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For the six months ending Dec. 31st, 1916, interest was credited Jan. 1st, 1917, at 4 per cent per annum.

Interest not drawn will be added to the principal and draw interest. Money deposited on or before April 1st and remaining in the bank until July 1st, 1917, will be credited with three (3) months' interest.

Women and children under age have by law the control of their own saving bank accounts.

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Interest will be paid on all sums from \$5 to \$1000.

Interest at the rate of 4 per cent per annum was declared for six months ending December 31, 1916.

Deposits made on or before the 10th day of January and July draw interest from the first day of those months.

PEACOCK COMING LATER IN MONTH

Evangelist Peacock Holding Evangelistic Services in Jersey City, and is Expected to Visit Kingston Some Monday This Month.

The Rev. L. K. Peacock and his evangelistic party, who recently held a six weeks' series of evangelistic services in the Delaware Avenue Tabernacle, is now engaged in a similar campaign in Jersey City, and in a letter to a friend in Kingston he extends an invitation to all his friends to attend the services any time during his stay in Jersey City. The tabernacle is located at South street and Hancock avenue, and the headquarters of the party is at No. 117 Bowers street. The entire party that spent six weeks in Kingston is with Mr. Peacock, and they will be glad to welcome Kingston people at any of the services.

Plans are being made to get up a delegation of Kingston people to visit Jersey City, and attend the services there, and then attend one of the Rev. Billy Sunday services in New York city.

Evangelist Peacock and his party expect to visit Kingston during their stay in Jersey City, and a reception service will be held at the Delaware Avenue Tabernacle some Monday evening during the present month.

SAUGERTIES.

Saugerties, May 2.—The Delta Gamma Sorority Convention will be held here Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week.

Mrs. James T. Maxwell is ill at her home on Market street.

Mrs. Alexander Sturgeon of Kingston is visiting relatives in town.

Albert B. Canner, wife and son, motored to Poughkeepsie on Tuesday.

S. William Shultz of Clermont, street is in New York city.

A number of members of Emmanuel Chapter, No. 517, O. E. S., attended the meeting held at Clinton Chapter, Kingston, this evening.

Miss Helen Schwab of Ulster avenue has entered the employ of the New York Telephone Co.

Bishop Walker Dies Suddenly.

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

Buffalo, May 2.—The Right Rev. William D. Walker, bishop of the Protestant Episcopal diocese of Western New York, died at 6 o'clock this morning from an affection of the throat. The bishop arrived last evening from Rochester where he attended a conference of members of the diocese. He retired about 10 o'clock and spent a comfortable night. At 5:30 o'clock this morning he awoke and calling several servants and his wife to his bedside he complained of a severe stinging sensation in his throat. At 6 o'clock the bishop breathed his last. Bishop Walker was a native of New York city and was 78 years old. He had been a bishop thirty-four years, thirteen of which had been spent in North Dakota and twenty-one in Buffalo.

May Day Exercises at School No. 2.

The following is the program for May Day exercises at School No. 2, which will occur on the school grounds—weather permitting—on Friday morning of this week at 9:15 o'clock: Song, America; the school; Kiddle's Dance; Miss Roseman's pupils; Ring Dance, pupils of second and third grades; a. Boys' Flag March, b. Girls' Ribbon March and Drill, pupils of third and fourth grades; May Pole Dance, pupils of fifth and sixth grades; May Day Exercises, girls of sixth, seventh and eighth grades; Flag Salute; Song, Star Spangled Banner, the School.

Police Force Inspected.

The members of the local police force held the first annual inspection on Tuesday afternoon when the force was given "the once over" by Mayor Canfield and the police board. All of the men were in fine trim and made a creditable showing, and were heartily praised by the mayor and the board. Next week the force will be given a mental examination.

S. O. S. For Seed Spuds.

More money will be needed to carry on the work of seed potato distribution and all desirous of contributing are urged to telephone the Chamber of Commerce, 504. The sum of \$300 is desired and if fifty men follow the example of W. P. Crane and A. E. Dederick, who gave \$5 each Tuesday afternoon, the task will be an easy one.

Red Cross Executive Committee.

This evening at 7:45 o'clock there will be an exceedingly important meeting of the entire executive committee—including all chairmen of committees—of the Ulster County Chapter of the American Red Cross, held at the home of the chairman, Mrs. C. N. Reed. It is especially desirable that all members should be present.

An Ulster Park Man Shot.

A few doses of the Pyrex on his apple trees and stopped all the bugs. Buy your spraying outfits and solution of Canfield the Spray Man, Grand and Ferry street.—Advertisement.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—In pursuance of an order of Hon. Walter N. Gill, surrogate of Ulster county, notice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having claims against Joseph Schaeffer, late of the city of Kingston, county of Ulster, deceased, testate to present the same with the vouchers in support thereof, to the undersigned, Eva Schaeffer, the executrix of the estate of said deceased, at her residence, No. 145 Greenkill Ave., in the said city of Kingston, N. Y., on or before the 25th day of November, 1917.

Dated May 1st, 1917.

EVA SCHAEFFER.

Frederick Steinhilber, Jr., Attorney for Executrix, 21 Broadway, Kingston, N. Y.

COL. KLEIN GIVEN HORSE BY MULDOON

Suitable Mount Procured for Commander of Tenth Regiment Through Generosity of White Plains Resident.

New Paltz, May 2.—The problem of securing a suitable mount for a regimental commander has been a source of considerable trouble and worry to Col. Klein of the Tenth Infantry and has been just removed unexpectedly through the generosity of William Muldoon of White Plains. Good horses suitable for military purposes are scarce and while the colonel had found a few that would fill the bill, in each case the value placed upon the animal was prohibitive.

William Muldoon, of "The Olympia" at White Plains, in a spirit of patriotism, learning of the colonel's dilemma, stepped into the breach and quickly solved the problem by offering the colonel the use of one of his finest and fastest thoroughbreds.

Mr. Muldoon, being beyond the age of military service, feels that the best substitute he can send in his place is one of his favorite horses.

Chaplain Kelly and Captain Kilder were the speakers at the Home Guard League meeting in Milton Saturday evening and won great applause. While in the village they were guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Tuckerman.

DOROTHY FREEMAN'S K. A. FLAG FUND

Suggestion Meets Favor of Patriotic Organization—Mrs. Mary Scott Also Contributes to Fund.

The proposal of Miss Dorothy Freeman, daughter of Abe Freeman, that a subscription fund be started to procure a flag and flagpole to be placed on Kingston Academy green appears to be meeting with favor. Following is a letter from an officer of the Ladies' Auxiliary of Tappan Camp, Sons of Veterans, which relates to the flag fund with a contribution of \$1 saying:

Kingston, N. Y.

Dear Editor—Enclosed find \$1 for the flag fund from the Ladies' Auxiliary, Tappan Camp, S. of V., No. 53. We are much in favor of the fund and wish the patrons of Kingston to give it heartiest support.

MRS. MARGARET A. ANDERSON, Patriotic Instructor.

Mrs. Mary Scott also sent \$1 to be added to the flag fund. Any persons desiring to contribute may send same to The Freeman, writing Flag Fund on the envelope.



PRINCESS RADZIWILL

HOLD PRINCESS RADZIWILL AT ELLIS ISLAND.

The Princess Catherine Radziwill, whose proposed lecture tour of the United States under the patronage of many prominent New York society women, has been interrupted by her detention at Ellis Island at the instance of the United States immigration authorities, who question her right to enter the country.

Bishop Quayle's Lecture.

The last of the Post Jubilee Lecture Course lectures to be given this year will be given tomorrow, Thursday evening, at the St. James M. E. Church at 8:30 o'clock. Many of the churches have either decided to hold their weekly prayer meeting this evening, or a little early tomorrow evening in order that all may attend this lecture, which promises to be one of the most interesting and brilliant lectures ever given in this city. Bishop Quayle is a most magnetic and forceful speaker, having gained the title of "Poet Preacher." He will deliver his most famous lecture on "Jean Valjean." Not only is this lecture a marvelous portrayal of Victor Hugo's noted character in his masterpiece, Les Miserables, but it is a masterpiece of interpretation of the character, wherein he applies the lessons of the story to the day's history, but moralizes and elaborates upon the subject in a manner that has earned for him the added title of "wizard."

Call to Somerville Church.

The Rev. J. R. Sizoo, pastor of the Walden Reformed Church has received a call from the Second Reformed Church of Somerville N. J.

RECRUIT IS BRILLIANT

Fans and Players Admire Good Qualities of Hornsby.

Manager Huggins Wouldn't Trade Roger for Benny Kauff—Fields Like Finished Veteran and is Mighty Hard Hitter.

Roger ("Pep") Hornsby, the Cardinals' young infielder, is the most brilliant young recruit of the past several seasons, according to the opinion of players and fans around the National league circuit. Miller Huggins, Cardinals manager, says he wouldn't trade Roger for Benny Kauff at any time and that he paid only \$300 for Roger while the Giants paid \$35,000 for Kauff. Hornsby, says Huggins, fields like the most finished veteran, is batting over .300 and previous to joining the Cardinals he had played only a few months of professional ball. Huggins says of Hornsby:

"Hornsby is going to be one of the real stars of the game. I have seen many brilliant young boys, and in my opinion Lee Magee was one of the leaders. What I like about Hornsby is his confidence. Say, he can hit any pitcher in the league. Tell Roger to do a thing once and he never forgets. On the sly he's always trying to do the unexpected."

And Huggins went on to add that he hasn't been touting the youngster simply because he picked him up. "I'm



Roger Hornsby.

not sting," says Hug. "When I see a good lad I say so, but I haven't seen one who comes anywhere near to this Texas youngster."

Hornsby seems able to shine anywhere at all and is being called the George Sisler of the Cards. He has played all around the infield from third to first and with his hitting would go great in the outfield. Quite a few seem to think that he would do his best if kept regularly on first, but he has shown so much class at third and short that Huggins still works him there. The remarkable confidence the youngster shows is a big item in his success. He's sure that he can do anything at all and he usually does. Before joining the Cards he played a short while in a class D Texas league, where a Cardinal scout picked him up.

SEVERE TEST FOR CALLAHAN

Manager of Pittsburgh Pirates Starts 1917 Season With Players of His Own Selection.

This year is a test for the managerial ability of Jimmy Callahan. He will start the season with a team of his



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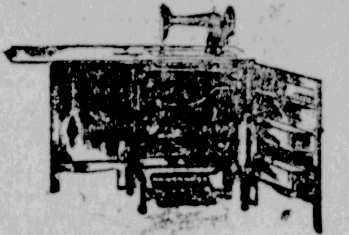
own selection. Barney Dreyfuss has been giving him plenty of rope in his effort to get a winner.

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GUARDING A NAVAL SECRET.

How England Cloaked the Building of a New Type of Cruiser.

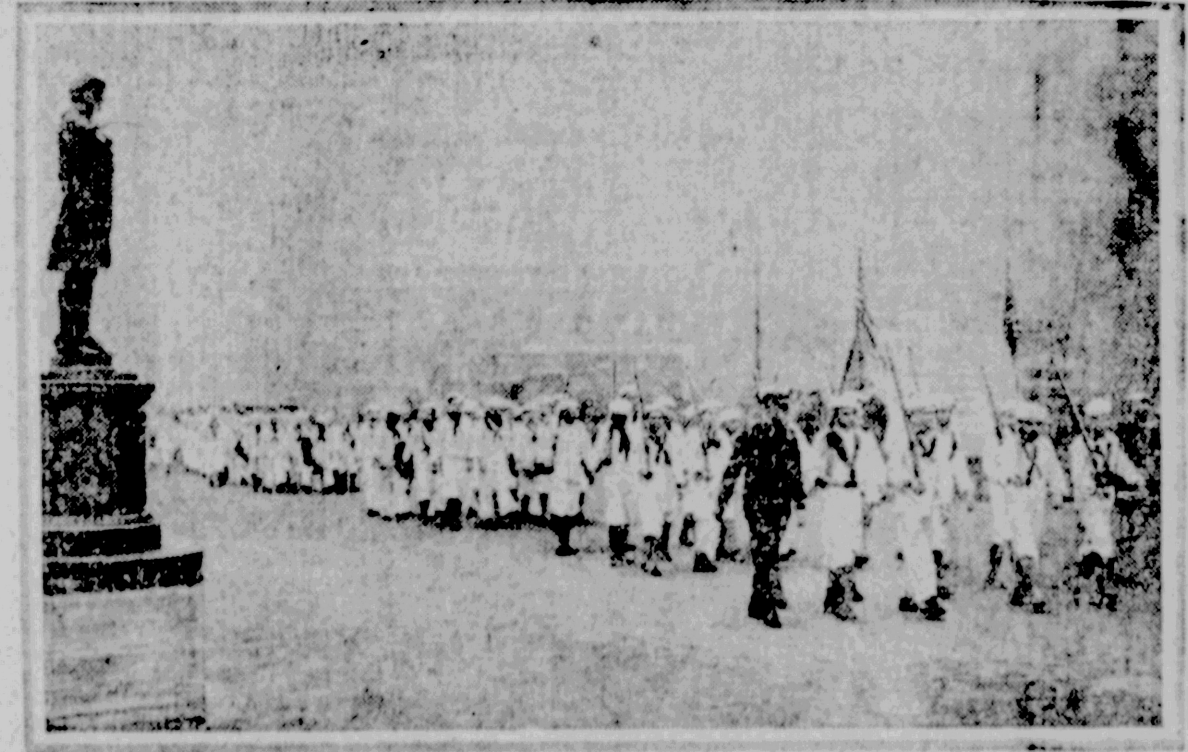
In Europe extraordinary precautions are taken by all the great powers to mask their military plans, and constant efforts are made to ferret out the military designs of opposing governments. Admiral William S. Sims of the United States navy threw an interesting sidelight on this phase of preparedness when testifying before the house committee.

"To show the extreme importance of this matter of a new type," said Admiral Sims, "when Great Britain first built these vessels (swift and powerful battle cruisers) extraordinary precautions were taken to prevent her possible enemies learning their characteristics. Great Britain had a number of armored cruisers, and Germany had a number of them. Great Britain knew that if she could build a number of these battle cruisers that had battle-ship guns and twenty-eight knot speed—in other words, more speed than any other cruisers in the world and guns stronger than those of any other cruisers—she would thus be away ahead for a long time.

"She laid down three of these vessels. In the estimates they were called armored cruisers, and everybody in the world supposed that simply three more armored cruisers would come out, with ordinary guns, which are 9.2 inch, etc. They were going to mount on these vessels eight twelve-inch guns apiece, and they were going to give them a higher speed.

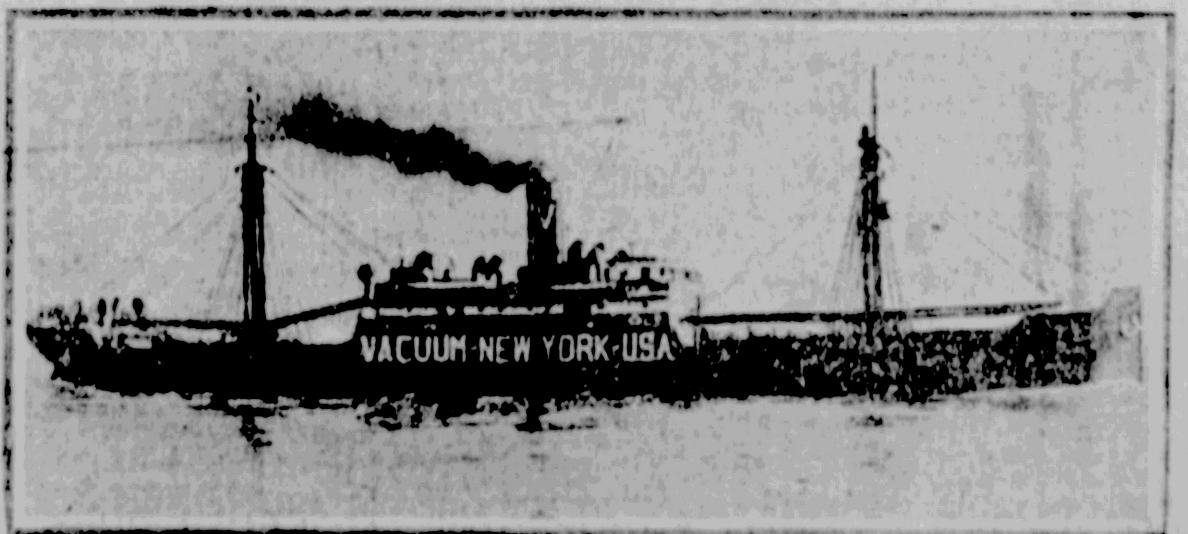
"You can conceal the speed, of course, while the vessel is building, but it was wholly impossible to conceal the fact that they were building twenty-four twelve-inch guns that could not otherwise be accounted for. Great Britain did not want other nations to know that these were going to be carried by these three cruisers. So they induced Turkey to sign a contract for those guns, and a certain foreign attaché in London paid not less than \$14,000, or \$20,000, to officials of the companies to get to look at their books and assure himself that the guns were being built for Turkey. Of course they postured Turkey to find out what she wanted with twenty-four twelve inch guns, but in the meantime the vessels were completed and the guns mounted before foreign nations knew that a radically new type of vessel was in existence.

"The British wanted to get that type out because in any conflict with another navy that did not have similar vessels the British would have a great advantage. Their scouting power was so great and their powers of destruction so great that anything except a battleship was practically helpless before them."—Spokane Spokesman-Review.



JUNIOR NAVAL & MARINE SCOUTS.
READY FOR SERVICE.

Boys of the American Junior Naval and Marine Scouts parading through City Hall Park, New York, and past the statue of Nathan Hale, for review by city officials. From the city hall the boys marched to the custom house, where they surrounded the building and did guard duty for the purpose of demonstrating to federal and city officials the value such boy organizations may become in time of war.



S. S. VACUUM.

U-BOAT SINKS AMERICAN SHIP; GUN CREW MISSING.

The steamship Vacuum, an American oil tanker, owned by the Vacuum Oil Company of New York, which has been sunk by a German submarine, according to an announcement made by the British Admiralty. No word has been received as to the fate of the United States naval lieutenant and the naval gun crew on board the armed tanker. It is feared they were drowned.

Perhaps Father will have to go it alone after all



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Lord Eustace Percy of the British foreign trade department made a frank admission to the Washington correspondents when he said that German submarines are sinking British tonnage much faster than it can be turned out by British yards. No figures are given as to the rate of destruction, but that it must be heavy is shown by the occasional and guarded references of the British press, to say nothing of the feverish demand for wooden ships from yards on both sides of the Atlantic. The censorship is responsible for hiding the actual toll of shipping taken by the German U-boats. Lord Percy gave some idea of the efficiency of the undersea campaign when he ventured an opinion that it was a question whether the combined production of both British and American yards could keep pace with the destruction of ships. Equal to the food exigency in so far as our Allies are concerned, keeping up with the submarine warfare is the great problem awaiting solution before the Washington war conference. "Ships! Ships! and more ships!" was Lloyd George's appeal of a few weeks ago, and the seriousness of the present situation so long concealed by the British censors is shown by the emphasis placed upon shipbuilding by the visiting war commissions.

Economy is the prevention of waste, not the curtailment of expenditures for necessary things. The Legislature now entering upon the closing days of the session should give serious consideration to the need for forwarding public improvements, especially those having a direct bearing upon preparedness. Barge canal terminals furnish a case in point. These are an integral part of the Federal Government policy for a deeper Hudson and it is an unwise delay that the Legislature is fathering because of the pressure of other financial problems. The great waterway system of New York State may be called upon to play a most important role as a transportation medium before another year has rolled around and the completion of the project in its entirety should not be halted. The same truth applies with equal force to the Rondout bridge, an important unit in land transportation on the West shore of the Hudson. A part of the structure is already under contract, but the present need is for legislative authority for preparing specifications and letting the contract for the superstructure and the North abutments. Action on these two matters is every whit as pressing as many of the subjects now engrossing the attention of the Legislature.

Babies are being given consideration for one week out of the fifty-two and Nation-wide distribution of pamphlets on their care and feeding is being made as a feature of Babies' Week, ushered in with May. It is a good thing, the only fault to be found with the agitation being its brief duration. Babies need all the attention and care they can get. Our present vaunted state of civilization is marked by an almost criminal lack of information upon the diet and training of infants. Child welfare stations and other agencies designed to aid mothers are only beginnings in the work and the need for further organization of these educational forces is shown in the infant mortality rate in many places through the country. Babies are actually the most necessary thing in the whole scheme of life. Without them, there would not be that posterity which patriotic orators are always worrying over. Kingston could well afford to take more notice of Babies' Week, for such solicitude is reflected in better and healthier babies, the biggest assets of any community.

If the harvests do not show a great increase this year, it will not be for lack of available soil or of will on the part of the farmers. The scarcity of labor is the real problem, and the movement to enlist men from the towns and cities for farm work looks toward the real solution. Not only is there talk of conscripting able-bodied men for farm labor, of camps to train city boys in farming, or agencies for placing college students in the fields for the summer, and of stimulating agriculture in various ways hitherto untried, but the sum of ten millions has been subscribed to finance farm operations in New York and smaller

sums have been voted for the same purpose by municipalities in other states. It has long been argued that "there is more in the man than there is in the land" and this season's special efforts promise to furnish the proof.

It is to be hoped that the South especially will respond to the President's economic appeal, for that section offers the largest opportunity for a great increase of food supplies. In the past the South has not produced even as much food as its own best interests demanded. The farmers of the Southern States have been so devoted to the money-bringing cotton crop that they have been content to buy from the North and West much of the food that nature would give them abundantly. What they need to realize this season is that neither cotton nor cash can be eaten, and that they as well as the country generally and our allies in Europe will for some time be much more in need of food than of clothing. Less cotton and more grain, potatoes and other food crops should be the rule in the Southern States this year. It is imperative, and because it is imperative it will pay in dollars as well as in the reward of devotion to a great cause.

LITTLE LAUGHS.

"Did your master live in a state of perturbation?" "No, sir. He lived in the suburbs."—Baltimore American.

"Going to plant potatoes in that five-acre lot you've rented in Suburbus?" "Like to, but it's level field and my book on farming says that potatoes should be in hills." Buffalo Express.

"But, my dear, why did you refuse to dine with the Mortons, whom we like, and accept this invitation to the Follets, whom we detest?" "It's perfectly simple. Mrs. Morton has seen this gown before and Mrs. Follet hasn't."

"What's your idea of the poetry?" "I haven't any," replied Mr. Cumrox. "According to mother and the girls, it has to be something I don't understand, written by somebody whose name I can't pronounce."—Washington Star.

Educated Walter.

Dr. John H. Finley appreciates a joke as is shown in this despatch from Albany to the New York World: Dr. John H. Finley, State Commissioner of Education, was to speak at a banquet in Keeler's hotel Tuesday evening. It was 9 o'clock when he arrived at the hotel. He inquired of a young woman cashier the route to the banquet hall, went up the wrong stairs and walked into a serving room where two score waiters were busy. The head waiter turned on Dr. Finley angrily and in a loud voice demanded: "What do you mean by showing up here two hours late for work? You're canned!" Dr. Finley replied, "All right, I'll get out." Finding his way to the banquet hall, Dr. Finley drew the biggest laugh of the evening when he recited the story of how he had been mistaken for a waiter. In the mail yesterday Dr. Finley received this letter: "You tried to enter the banquet hall by way of the employees' stairs. My mistake was due to your evening attire. The young lady who inquired your way of believes with Carlyle that 'clothes makes the man.' Therefore she directed you to the waiters' entrance. I am sending you this explanation because I feel you will appreciate the episode as one of those after-dinner stories that really occur. (Signed) Head Waiter."

What Helen Would Have.

Little Helen had developed the habit of holding her thumb in her mouth, even while eating. The mother had resorted to all sorts of methods to correct the child, remarks Lippincott's, and finally in desperation said: "Helen, the first thing you know you will swallow your thumb, and then what will you do?" "Well, mother, I should hate to swallow it because I'd have a heaven or a time without it." "Why, Helen?" said the astonished mother, "Where did you hear an expression like that?" "Well, well," hesitated the little girl, I didn't hear it exactly like that, mother, but I thought it would sound better."

Profane Silence.

The Detroit Free Press once told the story of a golf match between Rev. Dr. Sterret and Justice Harlan of the United States Supreme Court. The doctor discovered that his ball teed up in tempting style for a fine brassie shot, and with the utmost deliberation he went through the preliminary wrangles, and with a supreme effort—missed the ball. For fully a minute he gazed at the tantalizing sphere without uttering a word. At length Justice Harlan remarked, "Doctor, that was the most profane silence I ever listened to."

How He Knew.

A minister, while visiting his people one day in the bush, was asked to stay for dinner, relates The London Telegraph. While sitting down on the veranda a little boy, about five, came round to him and after talking a little while said: "You can't guess what we are going to have for dinner?" The minister said he would give it up, after several guesses. The little boy then said: "It's a rolypoly puddin'." I know, 'cos mother's only got one stockin' on."

TWENTY AND TEN YEARS AGO.

May 2, 1897.—Frank Gilbert examined and pronounced insane, escaped from home and disappeared. He became insane by being struck while keeper in an asylum.

May 2, 1907.—Abram Kelder of Rosendale while driving to Kingston Point hurled from his wagon and had two ribs broken.

First Ashokan condemnation commission organized with George M. Palmer, F. T. Pendleton and F. J. R. Clarke as members of it.

The BACKYARD FARMER

PROF. J. WILLARD BOLLE
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PARASITES AND POISON.

Lice and hens are almost inseparable companions. If you want a profitable combination of hens and eggs you must get rid of lice. I have been in some thousands of hen houses in the course of my study of this industry, and to the best of my belief I have never seen a farm flock of hens that was not more or less lousy. This is the reason that the average hen in the United States does not lay enough eggs to pay for her keep, if any one thing may be assigned as the reason. There is no excuse why the city and suburban poultry keeper should have lice on his fowls, and he must get rid of them if he is to be thoroughly successful. Chicken lice are divided into two groups, head lice and body lice. The former are relatively unimportant, as they do not interfere with grown fowls to any great extent. They are a source of great danger to baby chicks, however, and they infest almost all chicks that come into contact with mature fowls, or the places that they frequent.

Head lice attach themselves to the feathers and skin of the head, under the wings, and around the vent of the baby chick. They can only be overcome by first keeping the chicks away from sources of infection, and second, greasing them thoroughly with lard when they are first placed with the hen, and keeping careful watch for later infection.

Body lice are the great plague of the domestic fowl, and they are even more common than fleas on dogs. These vermin run about on the skin of the chickens, eating the outer layer of the skin, and keeping them constantly irritated. In aggravated cases they will even cause the blood to break through the skin. They infect chickens and turkeys more than water fowl, and they never leave the body of the host voluntarily.

The price of freedom from lice is eternal vigilance. Be sure that any chickens you introduce to your hen house are free from lice. Powder them well with insect powder before turning them loose. Have a dry dust bath in a sunny spot and if the hens do not use it on fair days change the spot, for the only way a chicken has to cleanse itself and smother out the lice is by dusting.

Have the interior of the house and the nests whitewashed thoroughly at least twice a year, putting some carbolic acid in the wash. Once every two weeks in winter, and twice a week in hot weather, paint the roosts with a good strong solution of lime paint about two hours before the hens go to roost. Be sure to get it into all of the cracks and crevices.

Change the nesting straw at least once a month and use only clean straw. When you change it paint or spray the interior of the nests with the lice paint.

Red or spider mites are not lice, but they do just as much, if not more harm. They feed on the fowls' blood at night, sucking it like a mosquito, and in a badly infested house they have actually been known to bleed the hens to the point of exhaustion and subsequent death. Fortunately they are easily controlled and by the same methods that are used to kill lice. Be sure that the roosts and nests are kept clean and disinfected with lice paint. Do it as thoroughly as one would for bedbugs in the home and you will soon get rid of the mites.

These miserable little pests live on the perches and walls of the hen house, and about the nests. They avoid the light during the day time and sometimes are present in large numbers without being detected. Take no chances, but keep the roosts saturated with lice paint, and if possible have the roosts supported away from the walls so that they cannot hide between the end of the roost and the walls.

Skill of Imitative Chinese.

"A Chinese officer told me an interesting story of the first visit of the representative of Vickers Sons & Maxim to Shanghai," says a writer in the World's Work. "After fetching his sample Maxim gun to the arsenal at Shanghai and demonstrating it thoroughly to the Chinese, he was taken into a 64-course Chinese feast that lasted until the small hours of the morning. Meanwhile a large party of the best Chinese mechanics in the arsenal, minutely subdividing the labor, quickly took the gun entirely to pieces and either duplicated or took templates of every part. The following day the sample, reassembled, was handed back to him with thanks and the remark that China was not in the market for Maxims just then. The Chinese imitation failed, however, to work properly."

Was Not an Agriculturist.

There is a well-known scientist in London who has a Scandinavian valet. The man came to his master recently in a great state of distress, bearing in his hands a country newspaper he had found.

"Is it still slavery in England?" he asked, in alarm.

The amazed master calmed his fears and inquired their cause.

The man pointed to an advertisement in the newspaper, and asked what it meant. The announcement was headed, "Great Auction Sale of Swedes."

Save the Teeth If Possible.

The mania of many physicians for ordering diseased teeth extracted is meeting with outspoken protest from dentists and doctors. They say teeth should be pulled only when the abscesses at their roots cannot be healed.

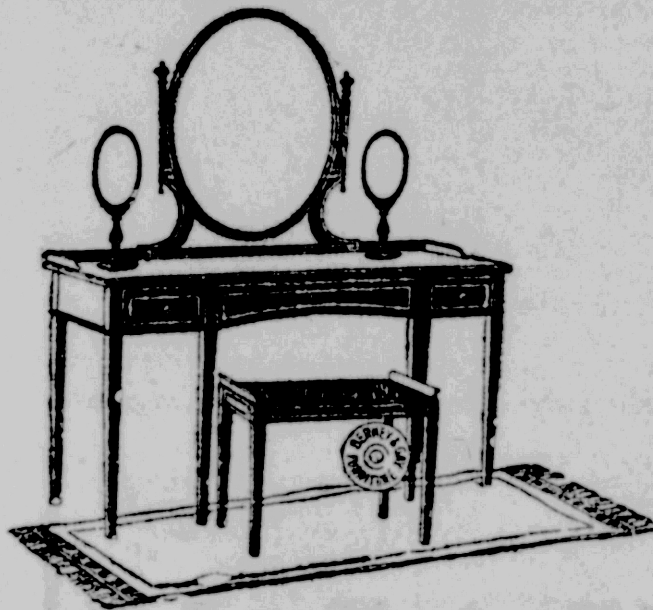
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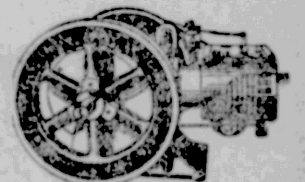
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Notice is hereby given that the assessor of the city of Kingston has completed his school assessment roll for the school year 1917-18. That a copy thereof has been left at his office in the city hall, where it may be seen and examined by any person until the third Tuesday of May next, and that on such day at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, said assessor will attend at the city hall in the said city, to hear and examine all complaints in relation to the assessments as provided by section 22-A of the city charter as amended.

MORRIS BLOCK, Assessor.

Dated May 1, 1917.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS—STATE OF NEW YORK, office of the state commission of highways, Albany, N. Y.—Pursuant to the provisions of chapter 644, laws of 1909, as amended by chapter 644, laws of 1911, and chapter 80, laws of 1912, sealed proposals will be received by the undersigned at their office, No. 30 Lancaster street, Albany, N. Y., at one o'clock p. m. on Monday, the 7th day of May, 1917, for the improvement of the following highway:

ULSTER COUNTY.
Road No. Name of Road. Approx. Length.
1494 High Falls-Stone Ridge. 1.4 mi.

Maps, plans, specifications and estimates may be seen and proposal forms obtained at the office of the commission in Albany, N. Y., and also at the office of District Engineer R. H. Wall, Poughkeepsie, N. Y., (Columbia Institute, 11 Washington street).

The special attention of bidders is called to "GENERAL INFORMATION FOR BIDDERS" in the itemized proposal specifications and contract agreement. Proposals for each road or contract must be presented in a separate sealed envelope, endorsed on the outside with the name and number of the road or contract for which the proposal is made. Each proposal must be accompanied by a certified check payable to the order of the State Commission of Highways for at least equal to at least five per cent of the amount of the proposal which such cash or check accompanies.

This cash or check will be held by the commission until the contract and bond are duly executed.

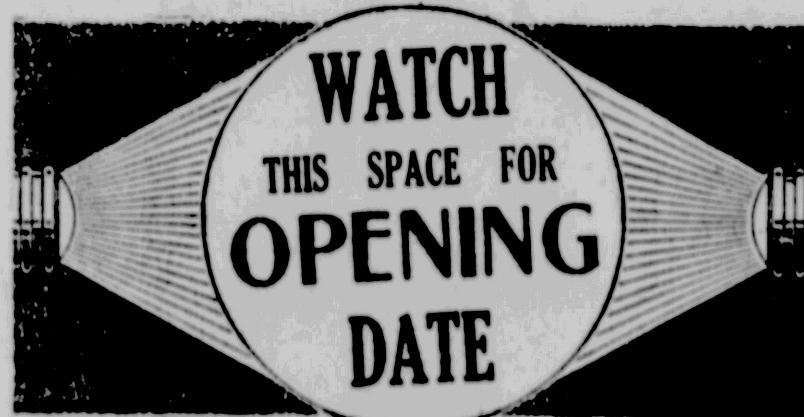
The successful bidder will be required to give a performance bond for fifty per cent of the contract, and a maintenance bond covering the wearing surface of all roads except waterbound macadam and compact concrete pavements for twenty per cent of the contract price of the bond which comprise the wearing surface and shall be executed by a surety company to be approved by the commission, or a bond secured by the deposit of collateral securities to be approved by the commission.

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West Pierpont street hill was oiled several days ago and the rain storms of the past few days made the hill dangerous to traffic and as a result Aaron Rice, an employee of W. R. Harrison & Company, had his leg broken Tuesday afternoon about 5 o'clock when the big auto truck in which he was riding skidded on the slippery hill and ran away down the hill crashing into the three story brick building at the corner of West Pierpont and Ravine streets. The auto was not damaged to any extent.

At the time the auto truck in charge of Mr. Van Gaasbeek, the chauffeur, was on its way down the hill with a heavy load of groceries. Mr. Rice was in the rear of the truck. Owing to the slippery condition of the road the auto got beyond control and coming down the hill struck a tree which caused it to rebound to the gutter which turned the truck completely around and it dashed to the opposite side of the road running upon the sidewalk and crashing into the brick building smashing in a doorway. Mr. Rice was hurled out sustaining a broken leg.

The accident brought out a large number of people and Arthur Rice, the clear manufacturer, who was passing, ran to the aid of Rice and made a temporary splint for the broken leg. The injured man was later removed to his home on upper Broadway. The auto truck was not damaged and was able to resume its trip.

The street force got busy that evening and covered the hill with sand to prevent another accident.



MRS. JOHN BALCH, National Leader, Five-Minute Talks by National Leaders.

By Mrs. John Balch, President Women's Anti-Suffrage Association of Massachusetts. "Wherever we work we win." That is the slogan of the women who are banded together the country over in opposition to woman suffrage and from personal experience know it to be true.

Outside of Massachusetts and a few other Eastern States there was little, if any, organized opposition to "votes for women" prior to 1912. From 1896 to 1910 no state was added to the suffrage column, every referendum on the question ending in defeat for the cause.

The result was the growth of a false sense of security among the women of the country—a feeling that anything so obviously fallacious as woman suffrage could not grow; that the common sense of the people would prevent its further extension without any organized movement to combat it.

In 1910 we began to reap the fruit of the public indifference or overconfidence thus engendered.

With a small percentage of the voters participating, Washington in that year joined the suffrage states. The following year, at a special election, in which also a small percentage of the regular voters took part, California adopted suffrage by a majority of 3,587, and in 1912, with an equal display of indifference, Oregon, Arizona and Kansas became double suffrage states.

With these suffrage gains came the realization that we were allowing suffrage to win by default.

We regard the women suffrage movement as an obstacle in the path of progress, a force tending to destroy the things vital to our highest civilization. Our immediate purpose is to remove this destructive force, but our ultimate purpose is the direction of women's thoughts and energies into those channels where they can be of highest service to society and to the race. We are fighting for freedom—freedom for the great mass of women from hampering political entanglements, that they may attain their greatest development in natural and unselfish service for humanity.

Bar Association Banquet.

The annual banquet of the Ulster County Bar Association will be held at the Stuyvesant on Wednesday evening, May 9, at 8 o'clock. The annual election of officers will precede the banquet. Tickets for the banquet may be obtained from the members of the banquet committee consisting of D. J. Atkins, Roger H. Loughran and Andrew Lang.

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Sciatica Only a Symptom.

Dr. Mark H. Rogers points out in the Journal of the American Medical Association that sciatica is not a disease but a symptom and almost always of strain in the joints of the lower methods of treating it are useless, except in so far as they may relieve the pain.

Virtue.

Most people think they are virtuous merely because they are tame and inoffensive. Tamelessness is not virtue, it is merely the indication of a force too feeble to run into excess. Virtue appears only when a strong force is wisely exerted under a strong regulation. Exchange.

Incomplete.

The description of a suitcase as something that, in a railroad car, cannot be placed in the aisle near you, in the rack above you or in the seat beside you, is not altogether complete, because it can be, and very frequently is, placed on the feet of the passenger next you.—Christian Science Monitor.

PEACOCK COMING LATER IN MONTH

Evangelist Peacock Holding Evangelistic Services in Jersey City, and is Expected to Visit Kingston Some Monday This Month.

The Rev. L. K. Peacock and his evangelistic party, who recently held a six weeks' series of evangelistic services in the Delaware Avenue Tabernacle, is now engaged in a similar campaign in Jersey City, and in a letter to a friend in Kingston he has invited an invitation to all his friends to attend the services any time during his stay in Jersey City.

The tabernacle is located at South street and Hancock avenue, and the headquarters of the party is at No. 117 Powers street. The entire party, that spent six weeks in Kingston is with Mr. Peacock, and they will be glad to welcome Kingston people at any of the services.

Plans are being made to get up a delegation of Kingston people to visit Jersey City, and attend the services there, and then attend one of the Rev. Billy Sunday services in New York city.

Evangelist Peacock and his party expect to visit Kingston during their stay in Jersey City, and a reunion service will be held at the Delaware Avenue Tabernacle some Monday evening during the present month.

SACRIFICIES.

Sacrifices, May 2.—The Delta Gamma Sorority Convention will be held here Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week.

Mrs. James T. Maxwell is ill at her home on Market street.

Mrs. Alexander Morgan of Kingston is visiting relatives in town.

Albert J. Conner, wife and son, moved to Poughkeepsie, on Tuesday.

S. William Shultz of Clinton street is in New York city.

A number of members of Emmanuel Chapter, No. 517, O. E. S., attended the meeting held at Clinton Chapter, Kingston, this evening.

Miss Helen Schwab of Ulster avenue has entered the employ of the New York Telephone Co.

Bishop Walker Dies Suddenly.

By Telegram to The Freeman.

Buffalo, May 2.—The Right Rev. William D. Walker, bishop of the Protestant Episcopal diocese of Western New York, died at 6 o'clock this morning from an affection of the throat. The bishop arrived last evening from Rochester where he attended a conference of members of the diocese. He retired about 10 o'clock and spent a comfortable night. At 5:30 o'clock this morning he awoke and calling several servants and his wife to his bedside he complained of a severe stinging sensation in his throat. At 6 o'clock the bishop breathed his last. Bishop Walker was a native of New York city and was 78 years old. He had been a bishop thirty-four years, thirteen of which had been spent in North Dakota and twenty-one in Buffalo.

May Day Exercises at School No. 2.

The following is the program for May Day exercises at School No. 2, which will occur on the school grounds—weather permitting—on Friday morning of this week at 9:15 o'clock: Song, America; the school; Kiddle's Dance; Miss Rosecrans's pupils; Ring Dance; pupils of second and third grades; a Boys' Flag March; b. Girls' Ribbon March and Drill; pupils of third and fourth grades; May Pole Dance; pupils of fifth and sixth grades; May Day Exercises; girls of sixth, seventh and eighth grades; Flag Salute; Song, Star Spangled Banner; the School.

Police Force Inspected.

The members of the local police force held the first annual inspection on Tuesday afternoon when the force was given "the once over" by Mayor Canfield and the police board. All of the men were in fine trim and made a creditable showing, and were heartily praised by the mayor and the board. Next week the force will be given a mental examination.

S. O. S. For Seed Spuds.

More money will be needed to carry on the work of seed potato distribution and all desirous of contributing are urged to telephone the Chamber of Commerce, 504. The sum of \$300 is desired and if fifty men follow the example of W. P. Crane and A. E. Dederick, who gave \$5 each Tuesday afternoon, the task will be an easy one.

Red Cross Executive Committee.

This evening at 7:45 o'clock there will be an exceedingly important meeting of the entire executive committee—including all chairmen of committees—of the Flister County Chapter of the American Red Cross, held at the home of the chairman, Mrs. C. N. Reed. It is especially desirable that all members should be present.

An Ulster Park Man Shot.

A few doses of the Prox on his spine trees and stopped all the bugs. Buy your spraying outfits and solution of Canfield the Spray Man, Strand and Ferry street.—Advertisement.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—In pursuance of an order of Hon. Walter N. Gill, county of Ulster county, justice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having claims against Joseph Schaeffer, late of the city of Kingston, county of Ulster, deceased, to file the same with the clerk of said county, at his residence, No. 115 Broadway, in the city of Kingston, N. Y., on or before the 25th day of November, 1917.

Filed May 1st, 1917.
J. A. SCHARFFER, Executor.
Frederick Stephan, Jr., Attorney for Executor, 21 Broadway, Kingston, N. Y.

COL. KLEIN GIVEN HORSE BY MULDOON

Suitable Mount Procured for Commander of Tenth Regiment Through Generosity of White Plains Resident.

New Paltz, May 2.—The problem of securing a suitable mount for a regimental commander has been a source of considerable trouble and worry to Col. Klein of the Tenth Infantry and has been just removed unexpectedly through the generosity of William Muldoon of White Plains. Good horses suitable for military purposes are scarce and while the colonel had found a few that would fill the bill, in each case the value placed upon the animal was prohibitive.

William Muldoon, of "The Olympia" at White Plains, in a spirit of patriotism, learning of the colonel's dilemma, stepped into the breach and quickly solved the problem by offering the colonel the use of one of his finest and fastest thoroughbreds.

Mr. Muldoon, being beyond the age of military service, feels that the best substitute he can send in his place is one of his favorite horses. Captain Kelly and Captain Kider were the speakers at the Home Guard defense meeting in Milltown Saturday evening and won great applause. While in the village they were guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. U. Tuckerman.

DOROTHY FREEMAN'S K. A. FLAG FUND

Suggestion Meets Favor of Patriotic Organization—Mrs. Mary Scott Also Contributes to Fund.

The proposal of Miss Dorothy Freeman, daughter of Abe Freeman, that a subscription fund be started to procure a flag and flagpole to be placed on Kingston Academy green appears to be meeting with favor. Following is a letter from an officer of the Ladies' Auxiliary of Tappan Camp, Sons of Veterans, which relates to the flag fund with a contribution of \$1 saying:

Kingston, N. Y.
Dear Editor:—Enclosed find \$1 for the flag fund from the Ladies' Auxiliary, Tappan Camp, S. of V., No. 53. We are much in favor of the fund and wish the patrons of Kingston to give it their support.

MRS. MARGARET A. ANDERSON,
Patriotic Instructor.

Mrs. Mary Scott also sent \$1 to be added to the flag fund. Any persons desiring to contribute may send same to The Freeman, writing Flag Fund on the envelope.

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RECRUIT IS BRILLIANT

Fans and Players Admire Good Qualities of Hornsby.

Manager Huggins Wouldn't Trade Roger for Benny Kauff—Fields Like Finished Veteran and is Mighty Hard Hitter.

Roger ("Pep") Hornsby, the Cardinals' young infielder, is the most brilliant young recruit of the past several seasons, according to the opinion of players and fans around the National league circuit. Miller Huggins, Card manager, says he wouldn't trade Roger for Benny Kauff at any time and that he paid only \$300 for Roger while the Giants paid \$35,000 for Kauff. Hornsby, says Huggins, fields like the most finished veteran, is batting over .300 and previous to joining the Cardinals he had played only a few months of professional ball. Huggins says of Hornsby:

"Hornsby is going to be one of the real stars of the game. I have seen many brilliant young boys, and in my opinion Lee Magee was one of the leaders. What I like about Hornsby is his confidence. Say, he can hit any pitcher in the league. Tell Roger to do a thing once and he never forgets. On the sacks he's always trying to do the unexpected."

And Huggins went on to add that he hasn't been touting the youngster simply because he picked him up. "I'm



Roger Hornsby.

not stingy," says Huggins. "When I see a good lad I say so, but I haven't seen one who comes anywhere near to this Texas youngster."

Hornsby seems able to shine anywhere at all and is being called the George Sisler of the Cards. He has played all around the infield from third to first and with his hitting would go great in the outfield. Quite a few seem to think that he would do his best if kept regularly on first; but he has shown so much class at third and short that Huggins still works him there. The remarkable confidence the youngster shows is a big item in his success. He's sure that he can do anything at all and he usually does. Before joining the Cards he played a short while in a class D Texas league, where a Cardinal scout picked him up.

SEVERE TEST FOR CALLAHAN

Manager of Pittsburgh Pirates Starts 1917 Season With Players of His Own Selection.

This year is a test for the managerial ability of Jimmy Callahan. He will start the season with a team of his



Jimmy Callahan.

own selection. Barney Dreyfuss has been giving him plenty of rope in his effort to get a winner.

Overcoming Evil.
Overcoming evil with good is the only way to overcome it at all. In our own hearts and lives, and in the world around us, the only way to get rid of what is faulty is to supplant it with something better.

Call to Somerville Church.

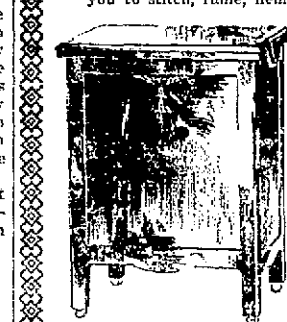
The Rev. J. R. Eison, pastor of the Walden Reformed Church, has received a call from the Second Reformed Church of Somerville, N. J.

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It is built of Golden Oak, or Fumed Oak in Mission, Adam or Colonial styles. No iron can be seen when the machine is closed and it is entirely dust-proof.
The sale and demonstration is in charge of Mr. H. C. Smith, an expert from the Free Sewing Machine Company of Rockford, Illinois. Have him explain the wonderful features of the New Model FREE.



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Automatic "Lift" the Simplest and Best
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Ball-Bearing Rotoscillo Movement
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MAY DAY DANCES AT HIGH SCHOOL

Miss Safford to be Crowned Queen of the May Friday Morning on Greensward—Baseball and Concert at Close of a Perfect Day.

May Day, which will be celebrated at the high school next Friday by the crowning of the May Queen and aesthetic dancing on the green, also holds in store a baseball game in the afternoon at the Athletic Field between Kingston and the Eastman's Business School of Poughkeepsie, and the annual Glee Club concert in the auditorium in the evening. Friday being also Arbor Day, the schools of the city will have a holiday.

The exercises will commence at ten o'clock with the procession of the royal consort, Eugene Gleason, senior president, as prime minister, will lead the procession, followed by Miss Faith Safford, fair queen of the day, attended by eight charming attendants, Marion Way, Anna Roach, Josephine Schmidt, Marguerite Quick, William Eckert, Ruth Terwilliger, Ruth Deegan and Esther Rodie, all members of the senior class. The crown bearer will be Hope Powell, the sceptre bearer, Mildred Healey, the pages, Doris Bartlett, Grace Berryann, Frank and John Thompson.

Following the crowning of the queen there will be a number of dances on the award in front of the school. A number of girls from the freshman class will give the May Pole Dance. Helen Dwyer will give a solo dance, "Sediliana." Then eight girls will present "The Butterfly Dance," the dancers including Helen Dwyer, Helen McNelis, Katherine Kearney, Charlotte Kennedy, Marguerite Scanlon, Edna Horton, Anna Griffin and Katherine McDermott. "The Song of the Robin," another solo dance, will be given by Katherine Kearney, and then Helen Dwyer and Helen McNelis will dance a schottische movement. The dancing will be brought to a close with two more solo dances, one by Marjorie Richards, and the other by Charlotte Kennedy, entitled "The Dance of Spring." In keeping with the times, a series of patriotic pantomimes has been arranged and these will bring the program to a close.

During the morning the girls of the Prisma Literary Club will have a booth where eatables will be for sale, the Red Cross to benefit.

The committee of seniors in charge of the exercises is as follows: Joe Jacobson, chairman; Harold Garrison, Hyman Weisberg, Ella Lappine, Anna Roach and Esther Rodie.

Formerly, at Kingston Academy, athletic events occupied a large part in the May Day exercises, the successful athletes being rewarded by the queen for their prowess. These hotly contested duels between the boys of the Hawthorne and Bryant Literary Societies will long be remembered. There being no boys' literary clubs in the high school and no track team being developed, a track meet is impossible, but lest there be any shortcomings in this department of the day's program, a baseball game has been arranged, with the Eastman's team for the afternoon at the Athletic Field, the game starting at 3:15. This will in all probability be the last contest of the year as cancelling of games by Albany and Troy leaves a big gap in the schedule which will make the remaining games unprofitable to play. Many of the team will soon leave school, also, for the farm and army. It's a mighty big chunk of hard luck, too, because the lads have given promise in the two games they have already played of finishing up with a no-defeat season. Inclement weather has prevented practice thus far this week but the boys will brush up between now and Friday as they expect a close fight. Eastman's always did hold a pretty high position in the sporting firmament and this year's team is no exception to the rule. Admission will be 25 cents, for association members, 15 cents.

In a musical way, Friday night will be the banner night for the students when the hundred or more songsters in the Glee Club stage their annual song festival. After practicing all year they must have acquired a pretty good polish for the affair. Tickets are selling at 25 cents. The program will appear in Thursday's Freeman.

SOUTH RONDOUT.

South Rondout, May 2.—The leader for the Emancipator on Sunday night was E. Marchant.

The prayer meeting will be held this week on Friday night instead of Thursday, so those who desire to go and hear the lecture at the St. James M. E. Church by Bishop Quayle.

At the meeting of the Ladies' Aid last Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. G. A. Cockfair the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Mrs. Allie Hamilton; vice-president, Mrs. George Mead; secretary, Mrs. Edward Marchant; treasurer, Mrs. G. H. Cockfair, after which dainty refreshments were served by the hostess.

Edison Marchant, who had been ill nearly a week at his home on Connelly Heights was so much worse on Saturday that Dr. Robinson called. Dr. Sibley of Kingston in consultation. It was decided to remove him to the Wauna Sanatorium and operate for appendicitis which was done Saturday evening. The many friends of Edison are sending up their prayers daily that he may soon be restored to his usual health.

Miss Elizabeth Hein is visiting her brother, John Hein at Kingston. Mrs. Henry Osborn of Ulster Park called on her mother, Mrs. Fred Kellerman on Saturday.

Michael Fallon of New York is visiting his sisters, Margaret and Anna Fallon. Dr. Conde Lansing and Mrs. Lansing motored from their home at West New York on Saturday to visit Mrs. Lansing's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Clair on Second street. On Sunday morning accompanied by Miss Nellie Clair and Thomas and Leslie Hyatt, they motored to Kingston to visit the doctor's parents at the Dutch Reformed parsonage, his

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MARSHAL JOFFRE.
"PAPA" JOFFRE ON WAY TO WASHINGTON'S TOMB.

General Joseph Joffre, Marshal of France and idol of the French people, saluting as he boarded the Presidential yacht Mayflower on his way from Washington to Mount Vernon to visit the tomb of the Father of the American Republic, George Washington.

father being pastor of that church, returning here in the afternoon and returning to their home at West New York Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Haines left here Monday to spend a week with Mrs. Haines's sister, Mrs. Wallace Boyce at Washington Heights, N. Y., and while in New York they expect to hear Billy Sunday several times.

Charles Marchant of New York spent Sunday at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Marchant on Connelly Heights.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Terpening of Sleightsburgh spent Sunday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Knud Olsen. Mr. Terpening returned to Poughkeepsie where he is employed in the Flat Automobile Works.

Dr. Morton Vogt and Mrs. Vogt and son Morton motored from Grand Gorge here and spent Sunday at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Vogt.

Mrs. Edwin Cole, who has been spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs. John Shults at Saugerties, returned to her home here on Saturday.

Joseph Snyder, second pilot on the steamer Albany, spent Sunday at his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Cole spent Sunday with Mr. Cole's sister, Mrs. John Shults at Saugerties.

The following children of the primary room were perfect in attendance during April: Alfred Stingle, Margaret Beechold, Magdalena Beechold and Evelyn Hotelling. The following from the principal's room were also perfect: Antoinette Cole, Gertrude Maines and Charles Wesley.

John Bithover is moving from Mr. Gurney's house to the house of the late Mrs. Donaldson on Second street.

Miss Margaret Bithover has accepted a position as stenographer with Schultz & Bogart Insurance office in Kingston.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Schreiber of Hohen, spent Saturday and Sunday at the home of her mother, Mrs. Fred Kellerman.

Mrs. Edward Scherer and son Wendell spent Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mr. Matthew Clark.

Mrs. L. Choffin and daughter Irene

and son Leon of Bedford Park, New York city, are spending some time at the home of Mrs. Matthew Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Dunn spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Tinnie at Port Jervis.

William Kyer of Kingston called on his mother, Mrs. Fred Kellerman on Sunday.

Charles Drickler's funeral was held at his late home here on Sunday and was largely attended. The Free Masons attended in a body and had the services at the graveyard.

Mr. and Mrs. John Shults of Saugerties called on her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Cole on Sunday.

Mrs. Harry Rich of East Kingston, called on her grandmother, Mrs. David Hotelling on Friday.

LAKE KATRINE.

Lake Katrine, May 2.—The annual school meeting of District No. 4, was held at Lake Katrine Tuesday evening with 17 present. Business of importance was transacted. Pratt Bolce was elected trustee to succeed Graham Parish whose term of office had expired. Funds were apportioned to be paid for children's books, repairs, teachers' salaries and other school items.

The dance Tuesday evening at Grange Hall was well attended in spite of the unfavorable weather and all present enjoyed a good time.

Operations and Operations.
"After all, success is merely a matter of environment."
"As for example?"

"Well, the greatest surgeon might possibly be a dismal failure operating on the Stock Exchange."—Boston Transcript.

Her Sacred Word.

"Not going to Alice's luncheon? But you gave your sacred word!"
"So I did, and I'd go in a minute if my dress had come home."—Harper's Bazar.

A Specialist.

"Pa, what's a specialist?"
"A man who has discovered which of his talents will bring him the most money, my son."—Boston Transcript.

Gold Medal Glenwood

This coal and gas range with two ovens is a wonder for cooking

Although less than four feet long it can do every kind of cooking for any ordinary family by gas in warm weather or by coal or wood when the kitchen needs heating.

There is absolutely no danger in this combination, as the gas range section is as entirely separate from the coal section as if placed in another part of the kitchen.

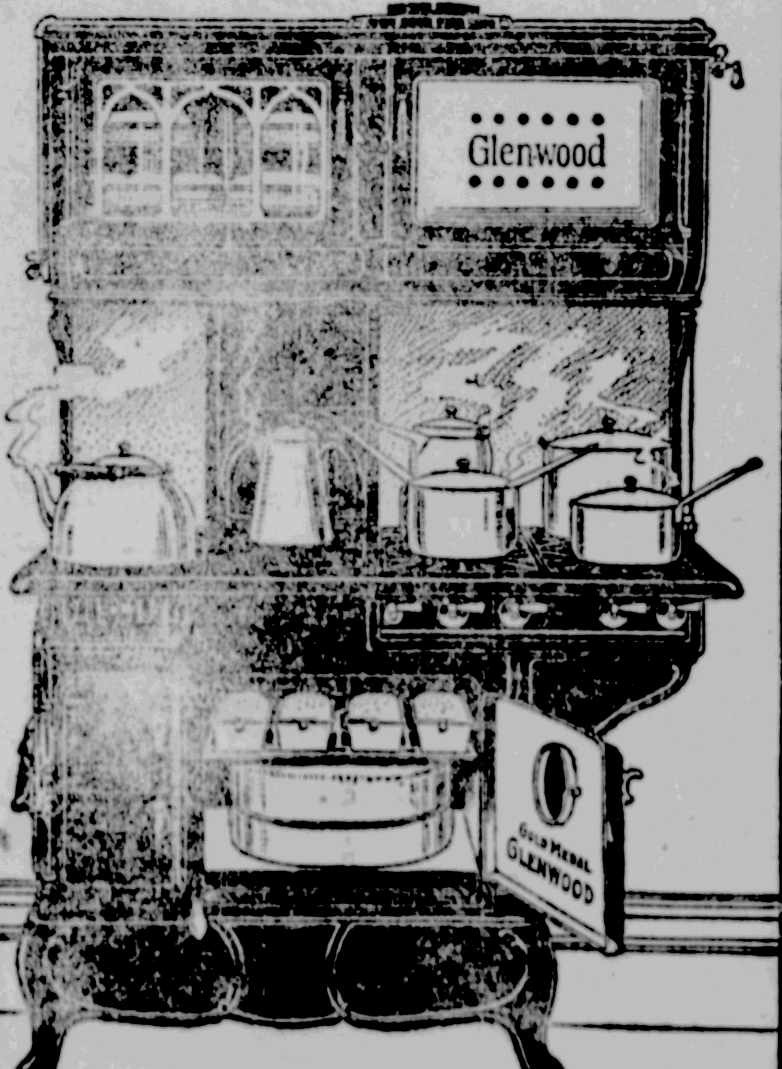
By using both the coal and gas sections of the top, nine large utensils may be heated at one time.

See the Pastry Baking always in sight in the gas oven. The most delicate cake can be perfectly baked and watched through the glass paneled door.



Call and see this wonderful range

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A COLONY OF BEES.

Its Members, Their Product and the Heat of a Sting.

A colony of bees in summer consists of from 50,000 to 100,000 individuals. Each colony contains a queen, several hundred drones and the balance workers. The latter are neuter or undeveloped females, and they do all the work in the hive, gather their food from the flowers, which consists of honey and pollen. They also gather propolis, a resinous substance used to stop cracks and holes in the hive.

It is not generally known that honey is not thick and sirupy when first gathered. It is called nectar by beekeepers and looks like water. When first gathered it can be shaken from the combs easily.

Sometimes it is necessary to shake bees from a brood comb, and the bees as they fall are so deluged by the watery nectar that they look like the proverbial "drowned rats." This, however, does no harm, as they at once proceed to clean each other, and when bees clean up they do a good job. I have put out a dish from the table that

was drenched with honey, and in a very short time it was as clean as though washed.

Many persons are very much afraid of the business end of the bee, and those who are not used to bee stings poison suffer pain when stung. The sensation of a bee sting can be compared to the prick of a needle point in the flesh, and then try to imagine that while just under the skin the needle is heated white hot and held there for about five minutes. Beekeepers will agree that this statement is not overdrawn. Beekeepers working about the hives every day are seldom stung, as

they know the habits of the bees and avoid their prods. In time one becomes more or less immune to the poison.—George Risher in New York Sun.

Substitute for Milk.

In place of milk, juice of the manaranduba tree is used in many parts of Brazil. It is sweet to the taste and milky in appearance, but after 24 hours it turns into an elastic mass similar to rubber in its raw state. The fruit possesses nourishing, pectoral and emollient properties.

Wash Goods Week at Hart's

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STREET GOSSIP ABOUT TOWN

"Well I see where patriotism is rampant in the bosoms of some retail dealers in Kingston," said the street corner politician to his friend.

"What do you mean?" asked the friend.

"Why," explained the politician, "owing to the fact that we are at war and there has been no advance in the price of tomato seed the tomato plants has been advanced 10 cents a dozen over last year's price."

"How do you know?" asked the friend.

"By pricing them for my garden," replied the politician, "last year they sold for fifteen cents a dozen and this year they are asking twenty-five cents."

"That is always the way though," interrupted the friend.

"I know it," replied the politician, "and so was not surprised when I learned that tomato plants had jumped in price."

"Well it is generally due to the wholesale dealers that prices jump," argued the friend.

"Not always," replied the politician.

"What do you mean?" asked the friend.

"Just let a rumor circulate that there is a shortage in any article," said the politician, "and no matter how much there may be on hand in Kingston you will find some retail dealer jumping the price."

"They do it elsewhere besides Kingston," argued the friend.

"I know it," replied the politician, "and changing the subject have you seen the new iron cops that have been placed on duty?"

"You mean the iron standards at intersections of busy streets?" asked the friend.

"You hit it," said the politician.

"I think it a mighty fine idea," continued the politician, "and now the police force should make drivers of all vehicles follow the directions on the cross arms."

"They will," replied the friend.

"They do their best," said the politician, "but in order that traffic conditions may be improved all should aid the police in observing regulations."

"What do you mean," queried the friend.

"I mean," explained the politician, "that drivers of wagons seem to labor under the belief that traffic rules are only meant for those driving automobiles."

"It does look that way," confessed the friend.

"It's a shame the way some wagons drive from one side of the street to the other," continued the politician, "and drive past trolley cars without waiting for a passenger to alight or get on the car."

"I noticed that myself," interrupted the friend.

"One good thing I have noticed by The Freeman," continued the politician, "is the fact that the police and Recorder Lang are co-operating in insisting that drivers shall tie their horses and not allow them to wander up and down blocking traffic."

"I approve of that myself," interrupted the friend.

"And in order to make traffic conditions better," continued the politician, "the general public, as I have said before, must work in harmony with the police."

"I see this is Cleanup Week," remarked the friend suddenly changing the subject.

"Yes and we had Cleanup Week at our house last week," replied the politician.

"How was that?" asked the friend.

"We housecleaned," replied the politician briefly.

"What do you think of the idea of a Cleanup Week?" asked the friend.

"I am in favor of it," replied the politician, "and I think it the patriotic duty of every resident to clean up."

"Why?" queried the friend.

"There's nothing that adds more to the attractiveness of a city than clean yards and clean streets," explained the politician.

SAMSONVILLE.

Samsonville, May 1.—Our pastor, the Rev. Mr. Thompson, will continue his meetings Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday evenings of this week.

Miss Edna Kelder is spending a week with her sister, Mrs. Jason Gray, at Accord.

Mrs. Zadoc Harringer has returned from Kingston after spending a week with her daughter, Mrs. Henry Van Kleeck, who is ill.

Mrs. Fred J. DeWitt of Pittsfield, Mass., is spending a few weeks with her father, J. H. Kelder.

Miss Genevieve Moore is spending some time in Kingston.

Our teacher, Miss Decker, is practicing her pupils for Arbor Day exercises.

J. V. Kelder was in Kingston on Saturday.

Mrs. J. H. Bevier, who has been spending two weeks visiting friends along the Hudson, has returned home.

Mrs. Olaf Pederson and son, William, spent a couple of days in Kingston last week.

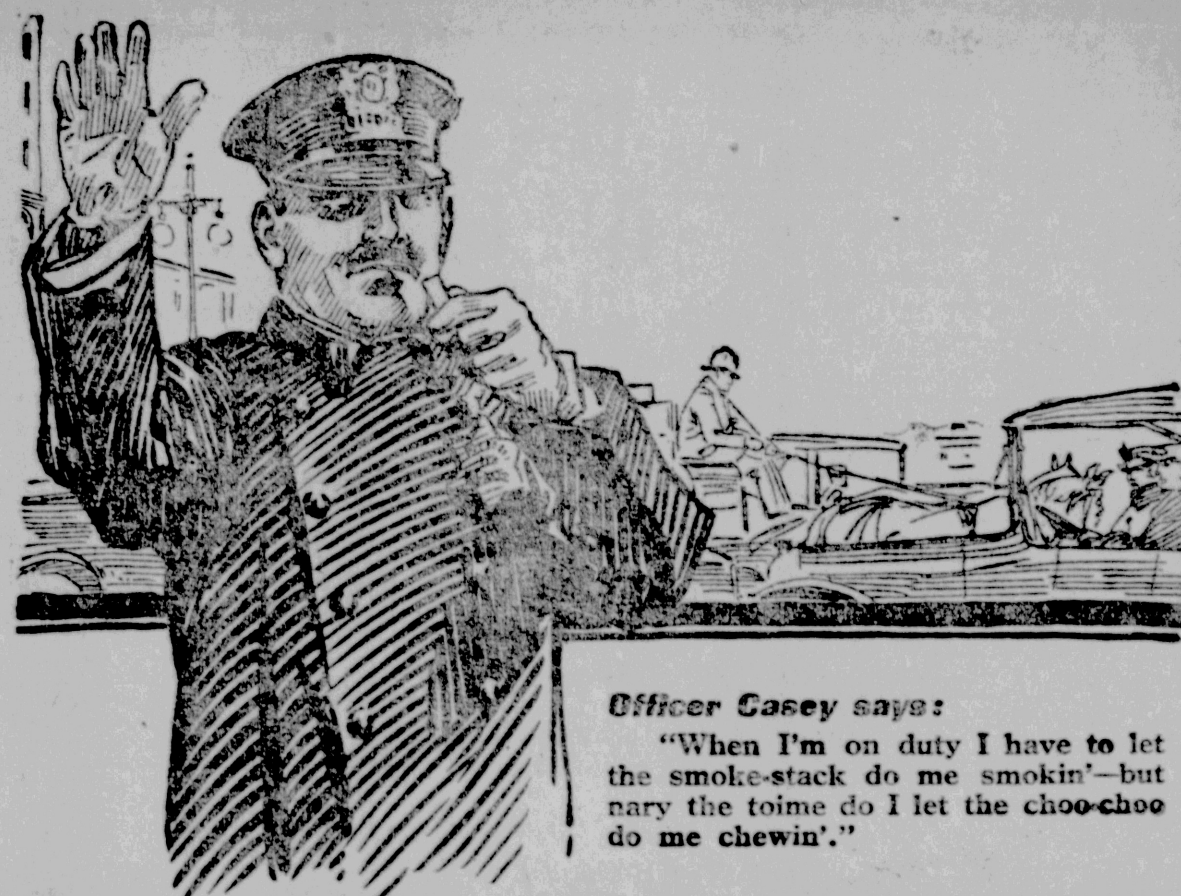
Arker Kelder and family of Napanoch motored to this place Sunday and called at the home of J. H. Kelder. Their son, Floyd, attended the afternoon service here and gave a very interesting talk.

John Harringer and Charles Merrihew of Krumville were callers at J. W. Kelder's Saturday evening.

Mrs. J. Lennon and children, and Miss Julia Van Kiten of Palenotown spent Saturday afternoon with Mrs. Harvey Harringer.

A number of our young people expect to leave soon for Mohonk Lake. Mrs. Minnie Harringer and daughter, Miss Beesie, left May 1 for Haines Falls, where they will spend the summer.

Jesse Shurter has opened an ice



Officer Casey says:

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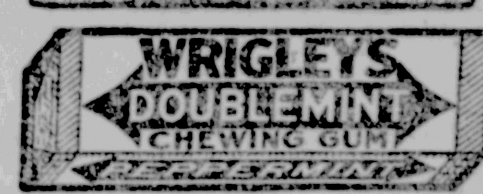
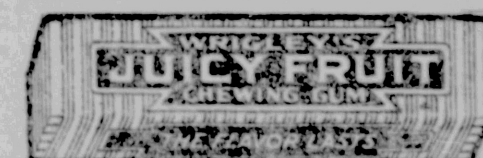
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NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—In pursuance of an order of Hon. Walter N. Gill, surrogate of Ulster county, notice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having claims against the estate of Margaret Willett, deceased, lately residing at Napanoch, county of Ulster, state of New York, and a petition praying that his account may be judicially settled.

Now therefore you and each of you are hereby cited to show cause before our surrogate's court, of the county of Ulster, to be held in the surrogate's court room in the city of Kingston, county of Ulster, on the 22nd day of May, 1917, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon why such settlement should not be had.

In Testimony Whereof, we have caused the seal of said surrogate's court to be hereunto affixed. Witness, Hon. Walter N. Gill, surrogate of our said county, at the city of Kingston, in the said county, the 17th day of April, 1917.

THOMAS D. R. EMBREE, As Executor, etc., of DeWitt Van Wageningen, deceased.

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Dated, November 7, 1916.
SARAH BURHANS and CATHERINE BURHANS, Administrators, etc., of the estate of Edward Burhans, deceased, Lake Katrine, New York.

A. T. Clearwater, Attorney for Administrators, Clearwater Savings Bank Building, Kingston, New York.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—In pursuance of an order of Hon. Walter N. Gill, surrogate of Ulster county, notice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having claims against John J. Campbell, late of the town of Kingston, county of Ulster, deceased, intestate, to present the same with the vouchers in support thereof, to the undersigned, Annie T. Campbell, the administratrix of the estate of said deceased, at her residence, 100 West 10th St., Kingston, in the said county of Ulster, on or before the 10th day of June, 1917.

Dated, December 8, 1916.
ANNIE T. CAMPBELL, Administratrix, etc., of the estate of John J. Campbell, deceased.

V. B. Van Wageningen, Attorney, Kingston, N. Y.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—In pursuance of an order of Hon. Walter N. Gill, surrogate of Ulster county, notice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having claims against Kate Hasthew, late of the town of Marlborough, county of Ulster, deceased, intestate, to present the same with the vouchers in support thereof, to the undersigned, Moses S. Davis, the administrator of the estate of said deceased, at his residence, High Falls, in the said county of Ulster, on or before the 15th day of June, 1917.

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Dated, October 31, 1916.
MARGIE J. SAHLER, ELIZABETH B. SMITH, Executrices.

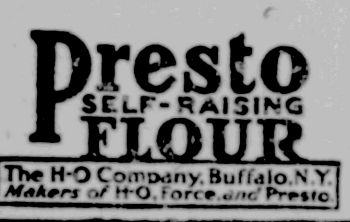
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KINGSTON, N. Y., MAY 2, 1917.

Lord Eustace Percy of the British Foreign Trade department made a frank admission to the Washington correspondents when he said that German submarines are sinking British tonnage much faster than it can be turned out by British yards. No figures are given as to the rate of destruction, but that it must be heavy is shown by the occasional and guarded references of the British press, to say nothing of the feverish demand for wooden ships from yards on both sides of the Atlantic. The ownership is responsible for hiding the actual toll of shipping taken by the German U-boats. Lord Percy gave some idea of the efficiency of the underwater campaign when he ventured an opinion that it was a question whether the combined production of both British and American yards could keep pace with the destruction of ships. Equal to the food emergency in so far as our Allies are concerned keeping up with the submarine warfare is the great problem awaiting solution before the Washington war conference. "Ships, ships, and more ships" was Lloyd George's appeal of a few weeks ago, and the seriousness of the present situation is long concealed by the British press as shown by the emphasis placed upon shipbuilding by the warring war commissions.

Economy is the prevention of waste, not the entombment of expenditures in unnecessary things. The Legislature now entering upon the closing days of the session should give serious consideration to the need for forwarding public improvements, especially those having a direct bearing upon preparedness. Large canal terminal's furnish a case in point. There are an integral part of the Federal Government policy for a deeper Hudson and it is an unwise thing that the Legislature is fathering because of the pressure of other financial problems. The great waterway system of New York State may be called upon to play a most important

before another year has rolled around and the completion of the project in its entirety should not be halted. The same truth applies with equal force to the Rondout bridge, an important unit in land transportation on the West shore of the Hudson. A part of the structure is already under contract, but the present need is for tentative authority for preparing specifications and letting the contract for the superstructure and the North abutments. Action on these two matters is every whit as pressing as many of the subjects now engrossing the attention of the Legislature.

Babies are being given consideration for one week out of the five two, and Nation-wide distribution of pamphlets on their care and feeding is being made as a feature of Father's Week ushered in with May. It is a good thing, the only fault to be found with the agitation being its brief duration. Babies need all the attention and care they can get. Our present vaunted state of civilization is marked by an almost criminal lack of information upon the diet and training of infants. Child welfare stations and other agencies destined to aid mothers are only beginning in the work and the need for further organization of these educational forces is shown in the infant mortality rate in many places through the country. Babies are actually the most necessary thing in the whole scheme of life. Without them, there would not be that posterity which patriotic orators are always worrying over. Kingston could well afford to take more notice of Father's Week. In such a climate it reflected in better and healthier babies, the biggest assets of any community.

If the harvests do not show a great increase this year, it will not be for lack of available soil or of skill on the part of the farmers. The scarcity of labor is the real problem, and the movement to collect men from the towns and cities for farm work looks toward the real solution. Not only is there talk of a complete abolition of men for farm labor, of camps to train city boys in farming, or agencies for placing college students in the fields for the summer, and of stimulating agriculture in various ways otherwise untaken, but the sum of ten millions has been subscribed to finance farm operations in New York and smaller

sums have been voted for the same purpose by municipalities in other states. It has long been argued that "there is more in the man than there is in the land" and this season's special efforts promise to furnish the proof.

It is to be hoped that the South especially will respond to the President's economic appeal, for that section offers the largest opportunity for a great increase of food supplies. In the past the South has not produced even as much food as its own best interests demanded. The farmers of the Southern States have been so devoted to the money-bringing cotton crop that they have been content to buy from the North and West much of the food that nature would have given them abundantly. What they need to realize this season is that neither cotton nor cash can be eaten, and that they as well as the country generally and our allies in Europe will for some time be much more in need of food than of clothing. Less cotton and more grain, potatoes and other food crops should be the rule in the Southern States this year. It is imperative, and because it is imperative it will pay in dollars as well as in the reward of devotion to a great cause.

LITTLE LAUGHS.

"Did your master live in a state of perturbation?" "No, sir. He lived in the suburbs."—Baltimore American.

"Going to plant potatoes in that flower bed?" "Yes, but it's level field and my book on farming says that potatoes should be in hills."—Buffalo Express.

"But, my dear, why did you refuse to dine with the Mortons, where we have been accepted?" "It's perfectly simple. Mrs. Morton has seen this gown before and Mrs. Follet hasn't."—

"What's your idea of the poetry?" "I haven't any," replied M. Cumrox. "According to mother and the girls, it has to be something I don't understand, written by somebody whose name I can't pronounce."—Washington Star.

Educated Walter.

Dr. John H. Finley appreciates a joke as is shown in this despatch from Albany to the New York World: Dr. John H. Finley, State Commissioner of Education, was to speak at a banquet in Keeler's Hotel Tuesday evening. It was 9 o'clock when he arrived at the hotel. He inquired of a young woman cashier the route to the banquet hall, went up the wrong stairs and walked into a service room where two score waiters were busy. The head waiter turned on Dr. Finley angrily and in a loud voice demanded: "What do you mean by showing up here two hours late for work? You're canned!" Dr. Finley replied, "All right. I'll get out." Finding his way to the banquet hall, Dr. Finley drew the biggest laugh of the evening when he related his story to the guests. He was mistaken for a waiter. In the next morning Dr. Finley received this letter: "You tried to enter the banquet hall by way of the employees' stairs. My mistake was due to your evening attire. The young lady who inquired your way of waiters with Carlyle that 'clothes makes the man' therefore she directed you to the waiters' entrance. I am sending you this explanation because I feel you will appreciate the episode as one of those after-dinner stories that really count." (Signed) Head Waiter.

What Helen Would Have.

Little Helen had developed the habit of holding her thumb in her mouth, even while eating. The mother had resorted to all sorts of methods to correct the child, remarks Lippincott's, and finally in desperation said: "Helen, the first thing you know you will swallow your thumb, and then what will you do?" "Well, mother, I should hate to swallow it because it has a heaven on it and without it I'm lost." Helen said the astonished mother. "Where did you hear an expression like that?" "Well, mother, I didn't hear it exactly like that, mother, but I thought it would sound better."

Profane Silence.

The Boston Free Press once told the story of a golf match between Rev. Dr. Stenice and Justice Harlan of the United States Supreme Court. The doctor discovered that his ball teed up in a long style for a fine, brassy shot, and with the utmost deliberation he went through the preliminary wackies, and with a supreme effort—missed the ball. For fully a minute he gazed at the tantalizing sphere without uttering a word. At length Justice Harlan remarked, "Doctor, that was the most profane silence I ever listened to."

How He Knew.

A minister, while visiting his people one day in the bush, was asked to say for dinner, "Let's the London Telegraph." While sitting down on the veranda a little boy, about five, came round to him and after talking a little while said: "You can't guess what we are going to have for dinner?" The minister said he would say it up, after several guesses. The little boy then said: "It's a rolypoly puddin'." "I know," said mother's only son, "one stockin' on."

TWENTY AND TEN YEARS AGO.

May 2, 1897.—Frank Gilbert examined and pronounced insane, escaped from home and disappeared. He became insane by being struck while keeper in an asylum.

May 2, 1907.—Abram Kelder of Rosendale while driving to Kingston Point harked from his wagon and had two ribs broken. First Ashokan condemnation commission organized with George W. Palmer, F. T. Pendleton and F. J. R. Clarke as members of it.

The BACKYARD FARMER

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PARASITES AND POISON.

Lice and hens are almost inseparable companions. If you want a profitable combination of hens and eggs you must get rid of lice. I have been in some thousands of hen houses in the course of my study of this industry, and to the best of my belief I have never seen a farm flock of hens that was not more or less lousy. This is the reason that the average hen in the United States does not lay enough eggs to pay for her keep, if any one thing may be assigned as the reason. There is no excuse why the city and suburban poultry keeper should have lice on his fowls, and he must get rid of them if he is to be thoroughly successful. Chicken lice are divided into two groups, head lice and body lice. The former are relatively unimportant, as they do not interfere with grown fowls to any great extent. They are a source of great danger to baby chicks, however, and they infect almost all chicks that come into contact with mature fowls, or the places that they frequent.

Head lice attach themselves to the feathers and skin of the head, under the wings, and around the vent of the baby chick. They can only be overcome by first keeping the chicks away from sources of infection, and second, greasing them thoroughly with lard when they are first placed with the hen, and keeping careful watch for later infection.

Body lice are the great plague of the domestic fowl, and they are even more common than fleas on dogs. These vermin run about on the skin of the chickens, eating the outer layer of the skin, and keeping them constantly irritated. In aggravated cases they will even cause the blood to break through the skin. They infect chickens and turkeys more than water fowl, and they never leave the body of the host voluntarily.

The price of freedom from lice is eternal vigilance. Be sure that any chickens you introduce to your hen house are free from lice. Powder them well with insect powder before turning them loose. Have a dry dust bath in a sunny spot and if the hens do not use it on fair days change the spot, for the only way a chicken has to cleanse itself and smother out the lice is by dusting.

Have the interior of the house and the nests whitewashed thoroughly at least twice a year, putting some carbolic acid in the wash. Once every two weeks in winter, and twice a week in hot weather, paint the roosts with a good strong solution of lime paint about two hours before the hens go to roost. Be sure to get it into all of the cracks and crevices.

Change the nesting straw at least once a month and use only clean straw. When you change it paint or spray the interior of the nests with the lime paint.

Red or spider mites are not lice, but they do just as much, if not more harm. They are found in the straw at night, sucking it like a mosquito, and in a badly infested house they have actually been known to bleed the hens to the point of exhaustion and subsequent death. Fortunately they are easily controlled and by the same methods that are used to kill lice. Be sure that the roosts and nests are kept clean and disinfected with lime paint. Do it as thoroughly as one would for bedbugs in the home and you will soon get rid of the mites.

These miserable little pests live on the perches and walls of the hen house, and about the nests. They avoid the light during the day time and sometimes are present in large numbers without being detected. Take no chances, but keep the roosts saturated with lime paint, and if possible have the roosts supported away from the walls so that they cannot hide between the end of the roost and the walls.

Skill of Imitative Chinese.

"A Chinese officer told me an interesting story of the first visit of the representative of Yiehara Sons & Maxim to Shanghai," says a writer in the World's Work. "After fetching his sample Maxim gun to the arsenal at Shanghai and demonstrating it thoroughly to the Chinese, he was taken into a Chinese feast that lasted until the small hours of the morning. Meanwhile a large party of the best Chinese mechanics in the arsenal, minutely subdividing the labor, quickly took the gun entirely to pieces and either duplicated or reconstructed every part. The following day the Chinese representative, who had been to him with thanks and the remark that China was not in the market for Maxims just then. The Chinese imitation failed, however, to work properly."

Was Not an Agriculturist.

There is a well-known scientist in London who has a Scandinavian valet. The man came to his master recently in a great state of distress, bearing in his hands a country newspaper he had found. "Is it still slavery in England?" he asked, in alarm. The amazed master calmed his fears and inquired their cause. The man pointed to an advertisement in the newspaper, and asked what it meant. The advertisement was headed, "Great Auction Sale of Swedes."

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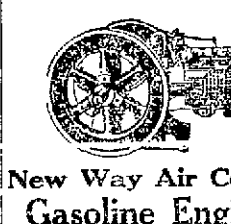
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NOTICE OF COMPLETION OF SCHOOL ASSESSMENT.

Notice is hereby given that the assessors of the city of Kingston have completed their school assessment roll for the school year 1917-18. That a copy thereof has been left at his office in the city hall where it may be seen and examined by any person until the third Tuesday of May next, and that on such day at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, said assessors will attend at the city hall, in the said city, to hear and examine all complaints in relation to such assessments as provided by section 32-A of the city charter as amended.

MORRIS BLOKE,
Assessor.

Dated May 1, 1917.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS—STATE OF NEW YORK, office of the state commission of highways, Albany, N. Y.

Sealed proposals for the construction of a road to the provisions of chapter 80, laws of 1909, as amended by chapter 448, laws of 1911, and chapter 89, laws of 1912, sections 1 and 2, shall be received by the undersigned at his office, No. 55 Lancaster Street, Albany, N. Y., at one o'clock p. m. on Monday, the 7th day of May, 1917. The proposals must be accompanied by a certified check payable to the order of the State Commission of Highways for an amount equal to at least five per cent of the amount of the proposal which such cash or check accompanies.

This cash or check will be held by the commission until the contract and bond are duly executed.

The successful bidder will be required to give a performance bond for fifty per cent of the contract, and a maintenance bond covering the wearing surface of all roads except waterbound macadam and cement concrete pavements for twenty feet of the contract price of the bond which comprise the wearing surface, such bonds to be executed by a surety company to be approved by the commission, or a bond secured by the deposit of collateral securities to be approved by the commission.

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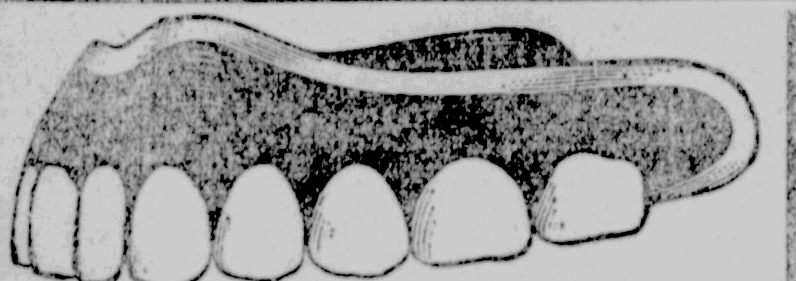
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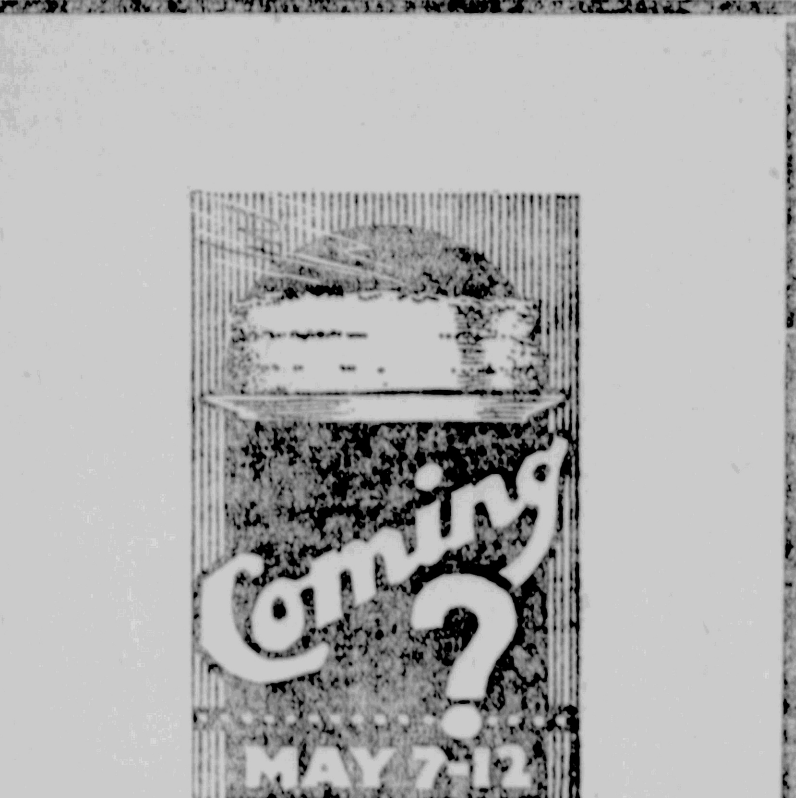


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HOBBO WANTED TO AID CLEANUP WEEK

Probably Heard It Was Being Celebrated in City, so Broke Into Golf Club and Got New Outfit—Germicide Will Probably Be in Demand.

Cleanup week was ushered into Kingston with the burglarizing of the handsome club house of the Twaalfskill Club by a hobo, who probably had heard that the week was being celebrated in the city and thought to assist in a small way by presenting a more clean appearance. There was no decided objection to be made in regard to his cleaning up after a glance at his old clothing which he had left behind, but it is the means he pursued that are objectionable.

When the burglary, as exclusively told in Tuesday's Freeman, was brought to the attention of the police department, an investigation was immediately made by Sergeant Hanley, who found that it was the work of a hobo who had broken into the club house to get a new outfit of clothing. He had left his old clothing, including underwear, hat and shoes, behind, and they were filthy enough to "stand alone without assistance."

Sergeant Hanley spent several hours on the case hunting in every likely haunt for the hobo, but without getting a trace of him. It is quite likely that the burglary was committed about midnight and the hobo after securing a new outfit had flitted to parts unknown.

Judging from the appearance of the club house it was evident that the hobo had spotted it some time during the day while in the vicinity and with a distasteful glance at his old and soiled clothing he determined to get himself a new suit at no expense. He waited his chance and when he found the club house deserted proceeded to kick in the glass in the front door and crawl through.

As he gazed around the building he found no clothing lying around, and with an eager eye he approached the locker room, and tentatively tried some of the doors. They were locked.

Nothing daunted he raised a mighty fist and smashed in the locker and hauled out some clothing, but threw it to the floor with disgust. That was not because the clothing was not up-to-date and presentable, but simply due to the fact that the hobo was not a woman.

He then approached another locker and repeated the same breaking process and hauled out what clothing in the way of sweaters and golf clothes were in it and tried them on. They did not fit.

He then broke in about thirty or forty lockers—this number is estimated—and hauled out the contents and laid them on the floor. He then began to disrobe and casting his old clothing to one side proceeded with the simple joy of the man who likes to try on new clothing to try on the various garments he had pulled from the lockers. As fast as one piece did not suit he threw it to one side where a good sized pile began to form. The hobo was evidently a man of discernment, as far as clothes was concerned, for he spent considerable time in securing clothing that not only fitted but which set off his form to advantage.

As fast as he found some clothing that fitted he arrayed himself in it and stopped to admire himself in a mirror before proceeding in the next step of dressing.

When he was fully outfitted from head to heel he threw a contemptuous glance at his worn out suit and gaily left the club house, leaving wreck and ruin behind.

When the club members gather at the club house to survey the ruin caused by one lone hobo in securing a new spring outfit it is likely that there will be a rush to the nearest drug store to secure a plentiful supply of germicide.

PORT EWEN.

Port Ewen, May 2.—Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Conn of Salem street spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Philip Vining in New Salem.

Robert Houghtaling of Salem street received a postal birthday shower from members of his Sunday school class, the Gleaners, Sunday.

Esopus Council, No. 42, Sons and Daughters of Liberty, will meet in Hutton's Hall this evening at 8 o'clock.

Mrs. Mary E. Hamilton and daughter Miss Maggie, who have spent the winter at Union Hill, N. J., have returned to their home on Salem street.

There will be a meeting of the official board of the Methodist Church at the parsonage this evening at 8 o'clock. A full attendance is desired.

Mrs. W. J. Karnes, who has been the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Ellsworth, on Broadway, left for Hot Springs, Virginia, Tuesday to spend a few weeks with Mr. Karnes' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Karnes will reside in Chicago.

The regular monthly meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society of the Methodist Church will be held in the chapel Thursday afternoon, May 2, at 3 o'clock. A large attendance is desired.

The annual school meeting of District No. 13 was held at the public school building Tuesday evening. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Clerk, Arthur E. Fronsfield; collector, Mrs. Edith Schryver; treasurer, C. W. Card; trustees, Henry E. McKenzie, Abram H. Schryver and S. B. Van Wageningen.

The Organized Adult Bible Class of the Methodist Church will hold an entertainment and social in the church Friday evening, June 2.

Every member of the Methodist Church should avail themselves of the opportunity of hearing Bishop Quayle lecture in the St. James Methodist Church, Kingston, Thursday evening.

The Organized Adult Bible Class of the Methodist Sunday school held

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Black and many shades of tan. Newest English Lasts. A shoe of fine quality and the best workmanship.

their monthly meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Thuis, Jr., on Bayard street Tuesday evening. After the business session refreshments were served and instructive games played and a very pleasant and profitable evening was spent.

Sunday evening the congregation of the Reformed Church unanimously voted, by a rising vote, to petition the president of the United States by telegram to cease the manufacture and use of liquor during the present war crisis. This is a universal movement on the part of the churches, and we are glad to line up on the right side.

The Brotherhood of the Reformed Church and the officers of the Sunday school and Christian Endeavor will meet in the basement of the church Friday evening at the regular monthly meeting of the Brotherhood, to complete the plans for a patriotic celebration of Decoration Day, and incidentally swell the church building fund.

Elvin Hutchings, treasurer of the Reformed Church, gave his annual report of the financial condition of the church for the last year, up to April 1st. The balance is on the right side of the ledger and the members feel satisfied with their year's work, and thank Mr. Hutchings and the other members of the consistory and the Rev. Steffer for leading them so successfully through the past strenuous year.

Seen' Things.

It's a safe bet that when Aladdin rubbed his lamp and saw what he saw, he rubbed the other one to be sure he wasn't dreaming.

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They'll Never Believe This.

One thing negligent and inefficient parents should remember. The legislature will never have wisdom enough to do successfully for children at a distance what parents fail and neglect to do on the spot. The legislature can't reach the spot.—Houston Post.

Not Discussed.

"Where'd you get the black eye?" asked Jones. "What was the argument about?" "There was no argument," replied Smith. "Brown walked up to me and told me he would punch me in the eye. And he did."—Cincinnati Enquirer.



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DON'T THROW A CINDER AT WINDOW

When Calling Your Sweetheart---It Might Break Window and Get Some One Else Wrongly Accused---Mr. Woehr Explains Why.

Never throw a cinder at the window to attract your sweetheart's attention, as the window may be broken and some one else may be wrongly accused of breaking the glass and be summoned to court to explain how it happened, which leads up to an incident that occurred this morning in recorder's court when G. F. Woehr of No. 96 Greenkill avenue, called to see Recorder Lang about a broken window in his house.

According to Mr. Woehr's story the window was broken in the apartment upstairs, and the lady residing upstairs called his attention to it at the time and glancing out he saw two neighbor boys in the vicinity, and jumped to the conclusion that they had fired a stone through the window. It was only a short time before that he had had a window broken by the boys of the neighborhood and they had paid for replacing it.

He then journeyed to see Recorder Lang and lodged a complaint regarding the boys and asked that they be arrested. Recorder Lang refused to issue a warrant but had the boys notified to call at court today and explain about the broken glass.

When the case was called Mr. Woehr hastened to explain that he had made a mistake in having the boys brought to court for he had just learned that they were not guilty of breaking the glass, but that a young man while calling to see his sweetheart who lived in Mr. Woehr's house had thrown a cinder at the window to attract her attention and unintentionally had broken the glass and would pay for it. The young man did not know the glass was broken until Tuesday night when he called to see his girl and learned that two boys were blamed for the deed which led him to explain.

Mr. Woehr said that he was sorry he had caused trouble for the two boys who were innocent.

Inspiration to Perspiration.

Inspired by the gardening movement, a number of prominent clergymen of the city are planning to toughen their palms and reduce their waist-band measurements by tilling the soil on an acre or more land in a well-located tract uptown. Committees are in process of organization and the work will be done in relays. The awning and refreshment committee has not been named but one on daylight saying is already making inquiries on the purchase of eye-shades so that labor under artificial light may be carried on if found practical.

Distributing Seed Potatoes.

The Dutchess County Home Defense Committee received its second carload of potatoes for seed distribution Tuesday. Some difficulty has been experienced in securing places for college boys on Dutchess farms as the farmers say they want experienced help.

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You don't have to "shop" among tire dealers to get the exact tire you want,
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—but you can get exactly the tires which will give you the lowest-cost-per-mile of service among the five different types of United States Tires.

And then you can hold one company—the United States Tire Company—responsible for the result,
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New Ladies' Ready-to-Wear Shop.

Henry M. Levey, the New York merchant has leased the store at 293 Wall street, just next to the court house and on Saturday will open its doors to the public, as an up-to-the-minute Ladies' Ready-to-wear establishment to be known as the Women's Bargain Shop. Mr. Levey states that the store will be stocked to overflowing with the best the New York market affords in ladies' coats, suits, dresses, skirts and waists, and will receive almost daily new and beautiful merchandise purchased for the store by its New York resident buyer. A cordial invitation is extended to all for the opening day, Saturday, May 5th.

Eleven Enlist From Walden.

Postmaster Fred Burns of Walden, accompanied eleven young men of that village to Poughkeepsie Sunday where the young men enlisted in the regular army. Three of the boys missed the last car home from Newburgh and slept in police headquarters in that city Sunday night.

Poughkeepsie Painters Strike.

Seventy painter, decorators and paper hangers of Poughkeepsie went on strike Tuesday asking for a raise of wages from 42½ cents an hour to 50 cents. At the present time the men are receiving \$3.50 a day and are now asking for \$4.

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HADDOCK, lb. - 8c	STEAK TILE FISH, lb. - 14c
PICKEREL, lb. - 16c	FRESH WEAKFISH, lb. - 18c
	FRESH BUTTERFISH, lb. - 14c
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	LARGE CUTS, each 80c
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New Potatoes, 45c
Half Peck
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Fresh Beans, qt. 12½c
North Carolina
Lettuce, head 10c

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BUTTER
5c pound lower
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Large Bunch
Fancy Florida
Fresh Cucumbers, ea. 5c
New Bermuda
Onions, lb. - 10c

Big Match Sale.
MATCHES
6 6c pkgs. 29c

Pure Tomato
CATSUP
2 15c bottles 23c

Red Marrow
BEANS
2 lbs. 29c

3 15c pkgs. SPAGHETTI - 29c 3 10c pkgs. CORN STARCH - 21c

Sifted Early June PEAS, 2 17c tins - 28c Fancy Sugar CORN, 2 17c tins - 28c Fancy Pack TOMATOES, 2 tins 33c

10c pkg. SHAKER SALT - 7½c 25c tin CALIFORNIA PEACHES 20c

3 10c pkg. Rolled Oats 25c 25c bot. Grape Juice 17c Yellow Split Peas, 2 lbs. 25c

Rib, Loin VEAL CHOPS, lb. - 28c Sirloin, Round STEAK, lb. - 25c

Roast Beef, lb. 22c Roast Veal, lb. 20c Roast Lamb, lb. 24c Roast Pork, lb. 29c

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THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK.

By the Grace of God, Free and Independent.—To M. Louis Taylor, Lake street, West Hohen, N. J.; Edith Tammany, 317 Lake street, West Hohen, N. J.; Annie Tammany, 317 Lake street, West Hohen, N. J.; James Tammany, residence unknown; The Acta Accident & Liability Co. of Hartford, Connecticut; and to all persons interested in the estate of William G. Tammany, late of the city of Kingston, county of Ulster, and state of New York, deceased, as creditors, legatees, next of kin, or otherwise.

KNOWINGLY GREETING: You and each of you are hereby cited to show cause at a surrogate's court, to be held in and for the county of Ulster, at the surrogate's office, in the city of Kingston, in said county, on the 31st day of May, next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, why the account of proceedings of John H. Tammany, administrator of the estate of William G. Tammany, as administrator of the goods, chattels and credits which were of said deceased, should not be judicially settled and allowed, upon the petition of said administrator.

In Testimony Whereof, we have caused the seal of said surrogate to be hereunto set.

Witness, Hon. Walter N. Gill, surrogate of our said county, at the city of Kingston, this 1st day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

WALTER N. GILL, Clerk of the Surrogate's Court.

PROCLAMATION.

The People of the State of New York, by the Grace of God, Free and Independent.—To the sheriff of the county of Ulster, Greeting: We command you that you summon to be and appear at a term of the supreme court of the state of New York, to be held by a justice of the supreme court, at the court house in Kingston, in and for the county of Ulster, on the 1st Monday of May next, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, all persons who shall have been named as grant and petit jurors at the said court, together with all the processes and proceedings any way concerning them to make proclamation in the manner prescribed by law, notifying all persons bound to appear at the said court, by recognition or otherwise, to appear thereat, and requiring all justices of the peace, coroners and other officers, who have taken any recognition for the appearance of any person at said court, or who have taken any recognition, or the examination of any person or witness, to return such recognitions, inquisitions and examinations to the said court, at the opening thereof on the first day of its sitting, at the Court House in Kingston, in said county, on Monday, the 4th day of June, 1917, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, by recognition or otherwise, to appear thereat. And he requires all Justices of the Peace, Coroners and other officers, who have taken any recognition for the appearance of any person at said court, or who have taken any recognition, or the examination of any person or witness, to return such recognitions, inquisitions and examinations to the said court, at the opening thereof on the first day of its sitting, at the Court House in Kingston, in said county, on Monday, the 4th day of June, 1917, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of that day.

F. G. TRAVER, District Attorney.

E. T. SHULTIS, Sheriff of Ulster County.

PROCLAMATION.—State of New York, Ulster County, ss.: The undersigned, Sheriff of said County, in conformity to a precept in this behalf directed and delivered, by this his proclamation, requires all persons bound to appear at the County Court to be held in and for the said County of Ulster, at Kingston, in said county, on Monday, the 4th day of June, 1917, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, by recognition or otherwise, to appear thereat. And he requires all Justices of the Peace, Coroners and other officers, who have taken any recognition for the appearance of any person at said court, or who have taken any recognition, or the examination of any person or witness, to return such recognitions, inquisitions and examinations to the said court, at the opening thereof on the first day of its sitting, at the Court House in Kingston, in said county, on Monday, the 4th day of June, 1917, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of that day.

E. T. SHULTIS, Sheriff of Ulster County.

Rhinecliff Ferryboat Time Table.

Leaves Kingston 6:30, 7:40, 9:00, 9:45, 10:30, 11:05, 11:40 A. M.; 12:40, 1:30, 2:05, 2:40, 3:25, 4:00, 4:40, 5:25, 6:20 P. M.

Leaves Rhinecliff 7:15, 8:10, 9:30, 10:00, 10:45, 11:20 A. M.; 12:00 M.; 1:00, 1:45, 2:20, 2:55, 3:40, 4:25, 5:05, 5:55, 6:55 P. M.

On May 30, July 4, and September 2, the ferry will make the following extra trips:

Leave Kingston 7:30, 8:20, 9:00 P. M.
Leave Rhinecliff 7:50, 8:40, 9:33 P. M.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—In pursuance of an order of Hon. Walter N. Gill, surrogate of Ulster county, notice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having claims against Agathe Flick, late of the city of Kingston, county of Ulster, deceased, to present the same, with the vouchers in support thereof, to the undersigned, Vincent Dittmar, the executor of the estate of said deceased, at No. 567 Broadway, in the city of Kingston, N. Y., on or before the 5th day of November, 1917.

Dated May 2nd, 1917.

VINCENT DITTMAR, Executor.
Frederick Stephan, Jr., Attorney for Executor, 21 Broadway, Kingston, N. Y.



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KINGSTON GAS & ELECTRIC CO.

AUTO TRUCK RAN INTO BRICK HOUSE

West Pierpont Street Hill Slippery With Road Oil and Harrison's Big Truck Ran Away Crashing Into Building—Aaron Rice Had Leg Broken.

West Pierpont street hill was oiled several days ago and the rain storms of the past few days made the hill dangerous to traffic and as a result Aaron Rice, an employee of W. R. Harrison & Company, had his leg broken Tuesday afternoon about 5 o'clock when the big auto truck in which he was riding skidded on the slippery hill and ran away down the hill crashing into the three story brick building at the corner of West Pierpont and Ravine streets. The auto was not damaged to any extent.

At the time the auto truck in charge of Mr. Van Gansbeek, the chauffeur, was on its way down the hill with a heavy load of groceries. Mr. Rice was in the rear of the truck. Owing to the slippery condition of the road the auto got beyond control and coming down the hill struck a tree which caused it to rebound to the gutter which turned the truck completely around and it dashed to the opposite side of the road running upon the sidewalk and crashing into the brick building smashing in a doorway. Mr. Rice was hurled out sustaining a broken leg.

The accident brought out a large number of people and Arthur Rice, the clear manufacturer, who was passing, ran to the aid of Rice and made a temporary splint for the broken leg. The injured man was later removed to his home on upper Broadway. The auto truck was not damaged and was able to resume its trip.

The street force got busy that evening and covered the hill with sand to prevent another accident.



FIVE-MINUTE TALKS BY NATIONAL LEADERS.

By Mrs. John Balch.

(President Women's Anti-Suffrage Association of Massachusetts.)

"Wherever we work we win." That is the slogan of the women who are banded together the country over in opposition to woman suffrage and from personal experience I know it to be true.

Outside of Massachusetts and a few other Eastern States there was little if any organized opposition to "Votes for women" prior to 1912.

From 1896 to 1910 no state was added to the suffrage column, every referendum on the question ending in defeat for the cause.

The result was the growth of a false sense of security among the women of the country—a feeling that anything so obviously fallacious as woman suffrage could not grow; that the common sense of the people would prevent its further extension without any organized movement to combat it.

In 1910 we began to reap the fruit of the public indifference or over-confidence thus engendered.

With a small percentage of the voters participating, Washington in that year joined the suffrage states. The following year, at a special election, in which also a small percentage of the regular voters took part, California adopted suffrage by a majority of 3,387, and in 1912, with an equal display of indifference, Oregon, Arizona and Kansas became double suffrage states.

With these suffrage gains came the realization that we were allowing suffrage to win by default.

We regard the woman suffrage movement as an obstacle in the path of progress, a force tending to destroy the thing vital to our highest civilization. Our immediate purpose is to remove this destructive force, but our ultimate purpose is the direction of women's thoughts and energies into those channels where they can be of highest service to society and to the race. We are fighting for freedom—freedom for the great mass of women from hampering political entanglements, that they may attain their greatest development in natural and unselfish service for humanity.

Bar Association Banquet.

The annual banquet of the Ulster County Bar Association will be held at the Surrogate on Wednesday evening, May 2, at 8 o'clock. The annual election of officers will precede the banquet. Tickets for the banquet may be obtained from the members of the banquet committee, consisting of D. G. Atkins, Roger H. Louchman and Andrew Lanz.

Just Nineteen Years Ago.

The Fourteenth Separate Company left Kingston nineteen years ago today to take part in the Spanish-American war and were given a big send-off by the residents of Kingston. They went first to Camp Black before going to Honolulu.

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In Fashion's Latest Styles and Colors

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Colors

Materials

Copenhagen Rose Wool Jersey Poplins
Chartreuse Tan Gold Gabardines Velours
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The coats shown this season are roomy models, including the barrel effect, many have large pockets and collars, some of which are overlaid with a collar of silk. Side pleating and button trimmed.

Other Coats up to \$55

Beautiful New Spring Suits

Made to Sell at a Price Much Higher Than We Have Marked Them

They are types that reflect decided individuality. Whether your fancy turns to plaid tailored styles or to the smart new sport suits, they are here in practically every color and material you may desire for Spring and Summer.

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Silk and Jersey Cloth
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Colors are:

Tan Gray
Rookie Green
Navy Blue
Light Blue
And Suits in all
Black

Other Beautiful Models
Priced up to \$55.00



A Superb Showing of New Spring Dresses

Made to Sell Originally from \$12.50 up to \$27.50

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Really this is a collection of the most stunning serge dresses ever offered at the price, regardless of the price they were originally made to sell for.

They are all pretty and the most youthful models we have ever seen. Every dress an extreme value.



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Misses' and children's fine ribbed, extra fine quality, black, white and tan; sale 15c

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Split foot hose for women, the kind you buy for 12 1/2c; sale 3 pairs 25c

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EXTRA One Lot of Men's Black Work Sox, 5 pairs for 25c SPECIAL

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UPTOWN

Sciatica Only a Symptom.

Dr. Mark H. Rogers points out in the Journal of the American Medical Association that sciatica is not a disease but a symptom and almost always of strain in the joints of the lower back. Methods of treating it are useless, except in so far as they may relieve the pain.

Virtue.

Most people think they are virtuous merely because they are tame and inoffensive. Tamelessness is not virtue, it is merely the indication of a force too feeble to run into excess. Virtue appears only when a strong force is wisely exerted under a strong regulation.—Exchange.

Incomplete.

The description of a suitcase as something that, in a railroad car, cannot be placed in the aisle near you, in the rack above you or in the seat beside you, is not altogether complete, because it can be, and very frequently is, placed on the feet of the passenger next you.—Christian Science Monitor.

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SOCIETY NOTES.

The marriage of Miss Marion Caywood of Marlborough and Constantine Robinson, of New York City, will take place in the Presbyterian Church in Marlborough on Saturday evening, May 5, at six o'clock. A reception will follow the ceremony at the bride's home.

Woe Marie Schwalbach, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Schwalbach of Prospect street, was the tiny hostess at a birthday party given in honor of her first birthday on Tuesday afternoon. The little guests were Susan Sweeney, Marion and Julia Roosa, Sophie Onelker, Marjorie Connelley, Beatrice Gerlach, Mary Quest, Katherine and John Schwalbach, Gordon Richards, Cornelius Bechtold, John and Joseph West, John and Joseph Mulligan. The little hostess received many gifts from her friends. During the afternoon games were played and refreshments were served, there being a fine birthday cake with its lighted candles.

Regular D. A. R. Meeting.

The Red Cross chapter at Wiltwyck Chapter, D. A. R., chapter house, will be discontinued on Thursday afternoon of this week, as the regular meeting of the chapter will be held on that afternoon at 8 o'clock, preceded by the usual local board meeting. The program will be in charge of Mrs. Kenyon and Mrs. Julius Osterhoudt and the hostesses will be Mrs. Basten and Mrs. Betts.

Kijkuit Club Elects Officers.

The Kijkuit Club of St. John's Episcopal Church, held its annual meeting at the parish house on Tuesday evening, electing the following officers: President, Miss Helen Thomas; first vice president, Mrs. Fred Winters; second vice president, Miss Ethel Green; secretary, Mrs. Jerry Harris; treasurer, Miss Louise Thomas. Next Tuesday evening the club will hold its regular meeting the place of meeting to be announced in The Freeman later in the week.

Fraternal Entertainment at Watson Hollow Inn.

Watson Hollow Inn will be open to Sigma Chapter of the Delta Gamma Fraternity on Friday of this week, May 4. On that day eighty young women, in attendance at the annual convention held in Saugerties, will be taken for a trip around the Askan reservoir and will stop at the inn for afternoon tea. Additional festivities planned for the entertainment of the delegates will include a banquet at the Maxwell House and the annual ball to be held on the evening of May 4.

Watson Hollow Inn will be open to the public on and after Saturday, May 5, and afternoon tea, dinner and supper may be enjoyed at the inn at any time thereafter.

Last Social Event of Season.

The Day Nursery Dance to be given at St. Mary's Hall, by the members of the Monday Afternoon Sewing Club, on Saturday evening of this week, for the benefit of the nursery, promises to be a great success, especially as it will be the last notable social event of the season. As the dance comes on a Saturday evening, dancing will begin promptly at 8 o'clock, and 12 o'clock will see the close of the event. Therefore, the many persons who enjoy dancing and who anticipate attendance at this affair are asked to come early in order that they may have the full benefit of the four hours of dancing to the music of Malsenhelder's orchestra. Delicious refreshments will be served, and still the tickets will be only half of what they were last year, that is one dollar each. A large attendance, of the benefit of this charity is urged.

Garden Club.

The Garden Club met on Tuesday afternoon at the home of Miss Sarah Norton on Albany avenue, Mrs. Higginson, the president, presiding. Following the routine business, a question box was held and many pertinent and practical questions solved practical and tried out answers. The club had been asked to cooperate in the beautifying of the Kingston Academy green, and the following committee was appointed to give special attention to this matter: Mrs. G. D. B. Hasbrouck, chairman, Mrs. E. A. Cokendall and Mrs. Everett Fowler. A communication was received from Mrs. George Chandler, relative to the women's assistance in the military hospital, and leaflets were given out. Letters relative to the nation wide garden movement, received from the Garden Clubs of America, which had

come to the local organization, were so valuable that they were forwarded to Secretary Canfield, of the Chamber of Commerce. The club has as its special guest Mrs. Charles Cantine, formerly of this city. Announcement will be made later of the place of the next meeting.

SUBURBAN NEWS.

Whiteport.

Mrs. John Mooney has returned to her home in Brooklyn. Mrs. Mary Hartman, who has been spending the past two months with her son in Brooklyn, has returned home, accompanied by her friend, Mrs. Mac, who will spend the summer with Mrs. Hartman in this place. Peter Forgy of Jersey City is visiting his parents for a few days and on Sunday called on Joe Osterhoudt. Joe Osterhoudt is busy plowing gardens these days.

Luther Keator's team is plowing for Joe Mooney. Walter Hurst of Philadelphia spent Sunday with Miss Lizzie Sherman and in the afternoon they drove over and called on friends at Springtown.

Fred Proper of Ulster Park was a caller on Frank Straub and family on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Dumond of Kingston spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Straub.

Fourth Blinewater.

Ernest Hayes has purchased a brooder stove to care for his young chicks. Frank and Minnie Schrowang are now on the road, having sold their farm on Saturday to Mr. Goldstein of New York city. They now own only a horse and buggy and are using this looking for a house to live in. Mary C. Allen of New York city has rented S. Elmendorf's cottage at the crossroads for the season and with her two children have moved in.



GEN. PETAIN.
PETAIN TO BE FRENCH CHIEF OF STAFF.

General Petain, who commanded the French army defending Verdun during the critical stages of the battle in February and March, 1916, is to be appointed Chief of Staff at the Ministry of War, according to dispatches from Paris. The post of chief of staff was discontinued some time ago, but is now about to be revived.

Home Gardens in Ponchockie.

A conference on home gardens was held in Public School No. 4 Tuesday evening under the auspices of the Parent-Teachers' Association in which experiences in gardening were exchanged and much practical information acquired. As the annual election of the association occurs next month a committee composed of Mrs. David Gill, Mrs. Plancher and Miss Schult was appointed to nominate candidates for the various offices.

Hudson River Shad Running.

Hudson river shad are now running and may be had from fish dealers in town. The first catch reported was on Tuesday.

PARENTS OF BOY SCOUTS TO MEET

All Who Have Boy Scouts or Expect to Have Boy Scouts are Invited to be at Y. M. C. A. Tonight—C. of C. Committee to Assist Campaign.

This evening at 8 o'clock the parents of the Kingston Boy Scouts will meet at the Y. M. C. A. for a short conference. All parents who have Boy Scouts or expect soon to have Boy Scouts are cordially invited to be present.

The Chamber of Commerce heartily endorses the Boy Scout movement and have appointed the following committee from within the Chamber to assist in promoting the local campaign: Aaron Cohen, Ward B. Everett, George R. Whitaker, E. F. Mac Fadden and David Burgevin.

Tuesday morning William H. Weisheit and John B. Flanagan, of the national headquarters, B. S. of A., spoke before the student body in the high school auditorium. The speakers pointed out that the scout work aims not merely to make fire builders and trailers, signallers and "first aid" experts; but it strives to develop a spirit of loyalty to team and club and school. It goes farther still. It trains the scouts to feel a joy at being under strain and to be always eager for keen competition and hard "uphill" tasks.

Edward Stelle, editor of "The Maroon," speaking for May Day, supplemented the two previous speakers with the story of a former local Boy Scout patrol. Mr. Stelle mentioned the members of that patrol one by one and told how each had since gone out and made good.

WAR MAY LAST FOR YEARS IS WARNING

Cabinet Members Talk of Germany's War Strength and Two Years' Food Supply—War May Yet Be Fought This Side of Atlantic.

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

Washington, May 2.—Emphatic warning that the present war may last for years was given the representatives of the various states gathered here today to plan concerted action in aiding the federal government to win the conflict. Cabinet members in close touch with President Wilson made this plain. Secretary of War Baker was one of these. He did not deal in terms of days, months or years, but made it positive that Germany's war strength is far from being exhausted.

It was Secretary of the Interior Franklin K. Lane, however, who presented the strongest plea. He declared that the war may yet be fought on this side of the Atlantic if the United States does not "beat Germany to it."

"We are 3,000 miles from the fighting line," he said, "and we must get there somehow. The ship yards of this nation surely can speed up construction of ships to meet this emergency. And I am sure that the inventive genius of the nation will yet find a means of successfully combating the submarine menace."

"We should not be preparing for a one year war," Germany, according to National Food Commissioner Herbert Hoover, has sufficient food to last her two years. She has eighteen millions of cattle. She has iron in abundance and plenty of coal. She has put up the greatest fight the world ever has seen and we should profit by her preparedness and lay our plan not for one year but for future years.

"The hope of the French is that the morale of the German army will continue to break. The hope of this nation is that the morale of the American people will continue to rise."

AUTOMOBILE NOTES.

Highway Commissioner Duffey has reconsidered his decision on the building of the Catskill-Athens concrete road and now favors immediate construction of the highway.

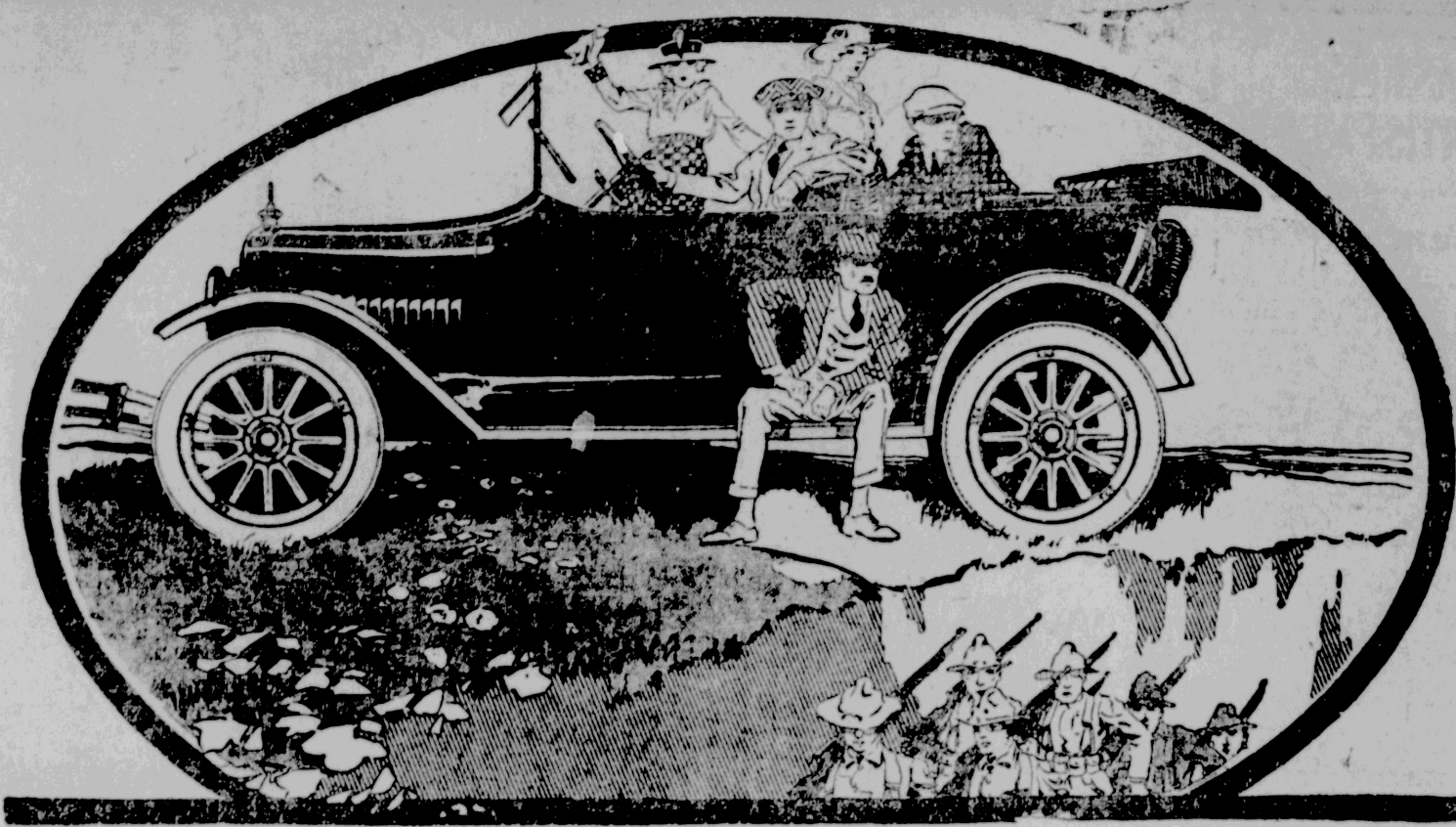
C. E. Platzeder of Zena has taken the agency for the Metz automobile and is enthusiastic over the features of this make of car, simple in construction and economical in price and up-keep. The Metz is equipped with the latest improvements, including gearless transmission which eliminates rear and clutch trouble and Mr. Platzeder will be delighted to exhibit the good points of the machine upon application.

Worse Still to Come. Henderson—What makes you so sure, Sanderson—My wife's bread's a failure. Henderson—Is that all? Sanderson—All? No; something worse is coming. Henderson—What? Sanderson—A week's ordeal of bread pudding.—Puck.

Then Ma Sent Willie to Bed. "Pa, what is a bilbuster?" "A bilbuster is an attempt to talk a plan of action to death, my boy." "I see. You married into one, didn't you, pa?"—Detroit Free Press.

A Bit of Sentiment. "Why all these toots as you pass that village?" inquired the fireman. "Toots is my wife's pet name," explained the engineer.—Pittsburgh Post.

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We could tell of many other supreme tests of Maxwell power, endurance and economy.

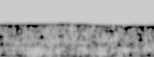
—magnificent deeds, never equalled by any other automobile.

—but we'll cite just one more:

A woman drove this Maxwell 9,700 miles.

Mrs. Miriam Seeley, Professor at the Oregon Agricultural College, made a 9,700-mile tour across the Continent and back in a Maxwell.

Her total expense account was 1½ cents a mile, including gasoline, oil and repairs.



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MAY COAL PRICES NOT FIXED YET

Local Retail Dealers Unable to Get Quotations From Wholesalers as to May Prices of Coal—Selling in Small Lots Only.

The May prices for coal have not been fixed as yet in Kingston, owing to the fact that the retail dealers have not the slightest idea as to what price they will be charged for their coal by the wholesalers, who have not issued a price circular. Coal is not being received in plentiful supplies by local dealers and none of them have received enough coal to fill orders they have accepted for next winter's burning.

Just enough coal is being received to keep the local trade supplied by the filling orders in quarter ton lots. For a quarter ton, delivered, \$2 is charged.

In fact at the present time it is understood that none of the local dealers are accepting orders for coal. If orders are taken they are subject to prices ruling at time delivery is made.

There is no coal shortage in the actual sense of the word as enough coal is being received to keep every one supplied in small lots, but not enough is being received to stock up for next winter.

As every one knows, the coal miners were recently granted an increase in wages by the producing companies. In order that the amount granted might not come out of the pockets of the mine owners, companies raised the rate to the wholesale companies through whom the retail dealers get their supplies. The wholesale dealers, of course, passed the raise on to retail dealers who in turn passed it on to the consumer.

Unfortunately for the consumer, he has no one to whom he can pass the extra price he has to pay for the coal he burns.

A PROFITABLE DAY'S WORK.

El Joseph of New York Gets \$1,000 for His Railroad Bid.

El Joseph of the Hotel Plaza, New York, and Aaron Katz, the Kingston junk dealer, made a most profitable trip to Catskill a week ago when Mr. Joseph bid in the Catskill Mountain Railroad for \$28,300. It was the intention to junk the road, it is said, but afterward Mr. Joseph learned from the Public Service Commission, second district, that he would be compelled to operate the railroad. Accordingly he assigned his bid to the Messrs. Olcott and George H. Beach for \$1,000. The new owners will form a corporation which will take over the Catskill Mountain, Otis, and Catskill and Tannersville roads, operating them as one system.

Esopus Carburators.

The Downing Carburator Corporation, with principal office in the town of Esopus, has filed a certificate of incorporation with the secretary of state at Albany and in the Ulster county clerk's office. The company is organized to manufacture carburators and has a capital of \$300,000, consisting of 3,000 shares of the par value of \$100 each. The directors are Robert Grant, George W. Downing and Alfred K. Barber, all of New York city.

Fisherman's Luck.

Trout fishermen report some good catches in the mountain streams the past week. A Watson Hollow angler fell victim to a mishap early in the week when he put his faith on a slippery rock and his hand on a decayed branch. The result was disastrous and wet. The man's name could not be learned.

Winner Class Meeting.

The regular monthly meeting of the Winners Class of the Clinton Avenue Sunday school will be held Friday evening, May 4, at the home of T. L. Rifenbary, 241 Smith avenue. All members are urged to be present as business of importance will be taken up at this meeting.

THE MAN WHO FLIES.

He Should Be Young and Robust Both In Body and Mind.

The work of an aviator demands robust health of both body and mind. From leakage of petrol spray the pilot may become dizzy, and the exhaust gases from the engine—carbon monoxide and dioxide—may cause headache, drowsiness and malaise. The rarefied air at great elevations may induce the symptoms well known in balloonists, and Wells refers to a case of frostbite in an aviator who had been exposed to 34 degrees of frost at an elevation of 15,000 feet. Psychasthenic symptoms—namely, loss of self confidence and the resulting mental worry (aerosthenia)—are not uncommon and prove that the victim has mistaken his sphere of activity.

Flying is undoubtedly the job of a young man under thirty years of age, and not every young man is temperamentally or physically fitted to carry it through. Perfect eyesight is necessary to insure safe landing, correction with glasses being not without its dangers; perfect hearing is essential to detect the first indications of engine defect, and free movement of joints of the lower limbs to control the steering gear.

Fits and tendency to faint absolutely deter the aspirant from the air service. In one remarkable instance at Haslar an aviator fainted with the result that the aeroplane dived nose downward 1,200 feet into a plowed field, escaped with such minor injuries that he was at first extremely loath to give up this branch of the service.—London Lancet.

A CONTINENT OF MARVELS.

Some of South America's "Greatest in the World."

Bring on the superlatives! We write of South America, the continent where are the world's greatest mountain ranges, densest forests and largest rivers.

Just for instance, the Amazon river system has over 50,000 miles of navigable waterway, enough to fit the two loops around our planet. It can be navigated for 2,500 miles by ocean steamers, a greater distance than from

New York to Panama.

The Rio de la Plata is 120 miles wide at its mouth! And notwithstanding all Colonel Roosevelt's discoveries South America still has the largest unexplored area of any continent.

Almost everybody knows that Brazil is larger than Europe or the continental United States, but the size of the "little" republics is not so well known. Texas could be lost twice in "little" Venezuela and still leave room for Kentucky and Tennessee.

Peru could comfortably swallow California, Oregon, Washington, Nevada, Arizona, Utah and Idaho.

And it is over 2,600 miles from one end of Chile to the other—almost as far as from New York to Glasgow!

Gold is found in every state of South America, and from Potosi alone, the famous "peak of silver" in Bolivia, more than \$2,000,000,000 in silver has been mined in the last three centuries.

—World Outlook.

Ironing Kills the Germs.

One need not worry about receiving infection in clothes sent to a laundry, even though they be washed with those of other families in which there may be infectious diseases. Such, in substance, is a report just issued by the United States public health service after an investigation by M. C. Schroeder and S. G. Southernland of the New York department of health. For whatever disease germs are not killed in the washing will be killed by the ironing. In fact, the ironing kills more germs than the washing.

There is, however, danger in having clothes washed by a laundress at her own home, for, "owing to the close quarters in which the laundresses live, there is possibility of reinfection of the clean linen if communicable diseases are present among the members of the laundress' family."

The Only Way.

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TO LET—7 room house, Inquire 172 Main St. Phone 1728-J.

TO LET—Barn, for horse or automobile, 55 St. James St.

TO LET—Newly renovated 8 room house, gas and electricity in every room, 87 W. Chester St. A. Elchler.

TO LET—5 rooms, toilet, water and gas, 69 Manor Ave. Inquire S. H. Merritt, 276 Fair St. Phone 1682.

TO LET—Storage rooms for furniture, etc.; also stable, Apply 40 Elmwood St.

TO LET—4 rooms, at 42 Liberty St. Phone 1160-W.

TO LET—3 rooms, small family, 93 Emerald St.

TO LET—Renovated flat, \$10 and \$11, also barn, Cummings, Washington Ave.

TO LET—Flat, 23 Lafayette Ave. Inquire upstairs.

TO LET—No. 60 Flatbush Ave. Brink Bros. Lake Katrine, N. Y.

TO LET—Flat, 5 rooms, Hoffman St. Inquire 492 Broadway.

FOR RENT—10 room dwelling, all improvements, desirable location, unknown to 50/100 feet, \$35 a month, Shattuck Realty Co.

TO LET—4 room house, bath and all improvements, corner Stone and Main, Claude M. Shaw, Walden, N. Y.

TO LET—5 rooms, 75 Main St. City water; \$6 a month. Inquire 556 Albany Ave. Phone 1133-J.

TO LET—House, 6 Maiden Lane. Estate of John N. Cordis.

TO LET—Four room flat. Address "X," Uptown Freeman.

TO LET—Berk house, 39 Van Buren St. Apply Richard Tappen, 177 Albany Ave.

TO LET—House, 10 rooms, on Abel St., few doors from trolley; all modern improvements, including bath, the entire house has just been repainted and painted. Write call or phone 110-M. George W. Rider, Saugerties, N. Y.

TO LET—Lot, about one acre of land, with or without barn, March 8th. Inquire Thaddeus, 35 Chestnut St.

FOR RENT—45 acres low land in rear Geo. J. Smith's house, Albany Ave.; 4 acres low land rear of Baptist Church; 5 acres of an old farm, Dr. Schaller's Sanatorium, Frederick E. W. Darrow.

TO LET—Flat, Hoffman St., all improvements, Inquire 1 Andrew St.

TO LET—17 Downs St., 7 rooms, all improvements, Apply 15 Downs St.

TO LET—Flat, 111 Abel St.

TO LET—House, 12 R. O'Reilly. Apply 446 Broadway.

TO LET—House, 20 Orchard St., improvements, Apply Mrs. Terry, 253 Broad way.

TO LET—Store and office at 293 Wall St. Offices 272-282 Fair St. Stores Hasbrouck Ave. near Strand. Estate of John N. Cordis.

TO LET—4 rooms and bath, 14 Alexander Ave. Phone 786-J, or 707 1/2 Broadway.

MISCELLANEOUS

HIGHEST price paid for nickel and second hand clothes. Phone 1474-M.

PIANOS tuned and repaired; terms reasonable. Martha, 156 Prospect St. Phone 1847-W.

EXPERIENCED ornament maker will ornament your birthday, wedding or holiday cake, medium size cake \$1, material included. Write "Baker," Uptown Freeman.

MORAN BUSINESS SCHOOL, Fair and Main Sts., Commercial, Stenographic, English, Day and Night. Experienced Instructors. Graduates in Demand. ENTER NOW.

WE guarantee our developing and printing work. Bring in your films, plates and printing. Prompt one day service. O'Reilly's, 529 Broadway.

FURNITURE storage. Men's proof, suit, etc. Free-proof. Frederick E. W. Darrow, Kingston. Phone 1113-J, or Brown Auto Supply Co. Phone 1066.

FURNITURE storage, best in city. Harry P. Carr. Phone 1173-J, 6-73.

FRANKLIN car to hire, \$2 per hour. Goodrich Garage, 112 Hone St. Phone 1266-M.

FOR SALE OR TO LET

FOR SALE OR TO LET—Nice room house, on Pearl St., modern improvements, with garage or stable, magnificent mountain view. Inquire Valentin Burgevin, 160.

FOR SALE OR TO LET—Residence, 35 West Chestnut St. L. Hoyerstadt.

FOR SALE OR TO LET—House, all improvements, 50 Green St. Estate of John N. Cordis. Phone 631.

FOR SALE OR TO LET—Farm, 20 acres, 400 acres, new buildings, gravity water system, modern improvements, including Adolphe's reservoir, near railroad, on state road. Millard H. Davis, Eagle Hotel.

POSITION WANTED

WANTED—Job as cook and baker, or anything. Howard, 1014 Shul St. Saugerties. Phone 199-W.

One Cent Per Word

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FOR SALE—New and second hand stoves and ranges, and second hand furniture bought, sold and exchanged. All kinds of new stoves. Morris Kaplan, 65 North Front St., Kingston. Phone 1200-R.

FOR SALE—The ten Chase automobile, 1916, in excellent condition, newly painted and overhauled. Apply J. G. Rose, 22 Ferry St.

FOR SALE—2 good fresh milk cows, L. Rosch, Chambers St.

FOR SALE—Matthews soda fountain, 3 h. n. Mela & Welch kerosene engine, 2 h. n. Triumph Jolly mixer, Van Gelder low wall concrete forms, some expanded diamond mesh steel. J. Brade & Co., Saugerties, N. Y.

FOR SALE—2 acre lot, house, good location, terms cash, 1000 cash. Call J. D. O'Reilly, 177 Albany Ave. or write Bell Lane, Willow, N. Y.

FOR SALE—7 room house above West Shore B. R., fine garden, near both trolley lines and hand to Broadway, and extensive shopping district, price \$2500. Address "E. K." Uptown Freeman.

GOOD Luck Butte, Johnson's, 112 W. Pierpont St. Phone 1009.

FOR SALE—Household furniture, must be sold quickly, 153 Prospect St.

FOR SALE—Ford runabout body, cheap, 1009-J.

FOR SALE—"Let's All Be Americans Now!" the new patriotic Victor record, W. H. Rider's piano store.

FOR SALE—Household furniture and carpets, 68 Franklin St.

FOR SALE—Go-cart. Call 1851.

FOR SALE—Late model, 8 passenger Overland touring car, excellent condition, electric lights and starter, etc. A bargain for cash. Box 75, Kingston.

FOR SALE—Incubators, brooders and poultry supplies. Canfield Supply Company, Strand and Ferry St., Kingston, N. Y.

WHITE LEGHORN HATCHING EGGS from egg peddler, brooders, five dollars per hundred. Also two frame houses, Glenhurst Stock Farm, Kingston.

FOR SALE—Farm and poultry farm of about 11 acres, within city limits, Geo. W. Van Gansbeek, 311 Clinton Ave.

FOR SALE—Second hand steam and hot water boilers. Wheeler & Walter, 122 W. Chester St. Phone 512.

FOR SALE—One 40 horsepower tubular boiler, tested to carry 150 pounds steam pressure. Inquire at 112 North Front St., Kingston, N. Y.

FOR SALE—One horse farm wagon and brass mounted harness, 451 Washington Ave.

FOR SALE—Thoroughbred English colt, 100 lbs., 100 lbs., Inquire Fisher, Boulevard, Box 10, Phone 672-R.

FOR SALE—Read twin carriage. Call 321-J.

FOR SALE—Business opportunity, 3 story brick building, containing four stores and four apartments; steam heat; modern improvements; prominent Broadway corner. Also two frame houses. Great bargain, to settle estate. C. C. Abel, Catskill, N. Y.

FOR SALE—Complete outfit for making concrete building blocks. Wm. Lawton, 32 Prince St.

FOR SALE—Chairs, tables, chairs, cash, corner Stone and Main, Claude M. Shaw, Walden, N. Y.

FOR SALE—Sewing machine; very little used, \$12. 200 Wall St.

FOR SALE—Ford touring car, O. R. "Phone 793-W.

FOR SALE—Tanning car, A-1 condition, for Ford runabout. Phone 793-W.

FOR SALE—Automobile, New 5 passenger, Willard, Kingston, run a mile per hour, at a bargain, perfect condition. Also 5 passenger Overland, in fine condition, for \$500. A. H. Todd & Son, Poughkeepsie, N. Y.

FOR SALE—Ford chassis \$125, also Packard, Cadillac, Ford, and several other 5 passenger cars. Economy Auto Exchange, 231 Downs St.

FOR SALE—Some especially good harnesses in uprights and players, W. H. Rider, 304 Wall St.

FOR SALE—200 egg, Cuyler incubator, one double compartment, and several other 5 passenger cars. Economy Auto Exchange, 231 Downs St.

FOR SALE—Second hand radiators, lamps and wind shields. Guarantee Radiator Works, 7 Main St.

FOR SALE—1 buggy and 1 two-seater wagon; good condition. Box 85, Route 4, Saugerties.

FOR SALE—Plenty of new and second hand radiators, lamps and wind shields. If interested call and look them over before purchasing elsewhere.

FOR SALE—Packard touring car. Phone 194.

FOR SALE—40 young Pennsylvania horses and some good second hand horses constantly on hand. 21 Abel St. Abel Vogel.

FOR SALE—Seven passenger Cadillac, excellent condition; or will exchange for 1916 Cadillac roadster. Address P. O. Box 316, Kingston, N. Y.

FOR SALE—Salt hay. Edw. T. McGUIR, 537 Broadway.

FOR SALE—Photo supplies, film, plates, camera, printing paper, etc. O'Reilly's, 529 Broadway.

FOR SALE—I have for sale or exchange car load of good second hand horses, suitable for all purposes. Mr. L. Rosch, Chambers St.

FOR SALE—Second hand clothes, 311 Fair St.

FOR SALE—New Harley-Davidson motorcycle, electric lights, 5 speed transmission; cheap. Striker-Yousmans Co.

FOR SALE—12 room house, in the village of Rosendale. Inquire of Mrs. J. L. Snyder, Stone Ridge.

FOR SALE—1916 Chevrolet 5 passenger car has electric lights and starter, 4 new tires, the car has been run about 5,000 miles and is in good condition; price \$300 cash. A. Vogt's Fireproof Garage, Saugerties, N. Y.

MALE HELP WANTED

WANTED—Good reliable plumber, A. H. Todd & Son, Poughkeepsie, N. Y.

WANTED—Experienced machinists and vice-hands, good wages and steady employment in modern factory located near Poughkeepsie, Pennsylvania. Apply Box No. 4, Freeman.

WANTED—MEN IMMEDIATELY, APPLY AT STONE CRUISER ON WILBUR AVE.

WANTED—Experienced farm man, with or without family, at the Pink Farm, southeastern corner of P. D. No. 3, Box 15, Kingston, N. Y.

WANTED—At once, 15 union carpenters, for trimming; wages \$5 per day. Apply 157 E. Chester St.

WANTED—Fava to learn shirt making on power machines. F. Jacobson & Sons shirt factory, Smith Ave. and Corbett St.

WANTED—Shirt ironers for soft work. F. Jacobson & Sons, Corbett St. and Smith Ave.

WANTED—Farm hands, \$20 a month and board, Dutchess Employment Office, 11 Washington St., Poughkeepsie.

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LOST—Gold watch, initials "R. C. J." between corner Hoffman St. and Broadway. Robert Leeman, 275 Fair St. Reward.

LOST—Bank book No. 1133447 of The Hovey Savings Bank, 130 Hovey, New York. The finder is requested to return it to the bank. If not restored before the 15th day of May, application will be made to the bank for a new book.

WANTED

WANTED—EXPERIENCED BOILERMAKERS AND TUBEWELDRERS. GIRLS AND BOYS TO LEARN CIGAR MAKING. \$100 PER WEEK PAID WHILE LEARNING. LAST YEAR OUR MALE PUPILS SAVED OVER \$14,000. G. W. VAN SLUYKE & HORTON.

WANTED—Work at pumping, sawing wood, thrashing, churning and any odd chore. Will work long hours, Sundays and holidays. Best of references. Address New-Way Engine, No. 16 Strand, Kingston, N. Y.

WANTED—Single mattress and spring; reasonable. Phone 1747-M.

WANTED—Three thousand (3,000) early tomato plants. E. B. Sheldon, Espopus.

WANTED—Furnished apartment or small cottage in uptown section, from June first to October first, small family. Address "E. T. G." Uptown Freeman.

WANTED—Your developing and printing, satisfaction guaranteed; prompt one day service. Velox or Cyko paper, O'Reilly's, 529 Broadway.

WANTED—Painting and paper hanging. Will do outside painting and paper use best material. Beggs Bros., 7 Ulster St. Phone 1027-R.

WANTED—To buy, second hand radiators, lamps and wind shields. Guarantee Radiator Works, 7 Main St.

WANTED—To buy, second hand clothes. Phone 193-W.

FEMALE HELP WANTED

WANTED—A girl to put on buttons. Tomahan Shirt Factory, 42 Thomas St.

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework; two in family. Call 871.

WANTED—Middle-aged woman as housekeeper. Call 150 Tenbroeck Ave.

WANTED—Middle-aged woman, to help with housework on for two children. In exchange for board and clothing. Phone 1061-M.

WANTED—Girl at the Mitchell.

WANTED—Dining room girl. Apply Eagle Hotel.

WANTED—Woman for chamber work. Apply housekeeper, Eagle Hotel.

WANTED—Chambermaid and waitress. Apply Dr. C. O. Sahler Sanitarium.

WANTED—A cook, in family of three; references required. Apply 47 Albany Ave.

WANTED—Girl for general housework, 100 lbs., 100 lbs., Apply Mrs. Dederick, 151 Elmwood St.

WANTED—Dining room girl. Apply Eagle Hotel.

WANTED—Competent waitress. Apply between 1 and 2 or 6 and 7 p. m. Mrs. Chas. A. Jacobson, 125 West 10th St.

WANTED—Woman or girl for general housework; family of two; must be experienced. Address Box 123, Downtown Freeman.

WANTED—A competent cook. Mrs. Geo. Chandler. Phone 693.

WANTED—Experienced bookkeeper, state salary expected; reference required. Address "Bookkeeper," Downtown Freeman.

WANTED—Pressers on suit shirts. F. Jacobson & Sons, cor. Smith Ave. and Cornell St.

WANTED—Operators on Union Special shoe machines; will pay while waiting. Miller, Alkhead & Co., Greenhill Ave.

WANTED—50 operators; a chance of making the same as already employed hands, which is as high as \$30 per week. Apply at once. J. Davis, 687 Broadway.

WANTED—Girls to operate machines on parts of shirts; good wages, no experience necessary; good wages, no experience necessary. Apply Columbia Shirt Co., O'Neill St.

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WEDNESDAY, MAY 2, 1917.

Sun rises, 4:56; sets, 6:57.
Weather, cloudy.

The Temperature.

The lowest point registered by the Freeman thermometer last night was 41 degrees. The highest point reached up until noon today was 53 degrees.

Weather Forecast.

Washington, May 2.—Fair to-night; probably light frost in the interior. Thursday fair; moderate to fresh northwest winds.

REAL ESTATE SALES.

Deeds Recently Recorded in County Clerk's Office.

The following deeds have been filed in the office of the county clerk:

Paul Zugman and Pauline Zugman of the town of Wawarsing to Noah Leibowitz of the same place, a parcel of land in the town of Wawarsing, consideration \$1,200.

Simon B. Terwilliger and wife of Toronto, Canada, to Frederick Miller and Lillian Miller of New York, a parcel of land in the town of Esopus, consideration \$1.

Emmitt Davis of the town of Lloyd to Abram P. LeFevre of the same place, a parcel of land in the town of New Paltz, consideration \$1.

Jacob Fuchs of Esopus to Louisa Fuchs, his wife, a parcel of land in the village of Esopus, consideration \$1.

KERHONKSON.

Kerhonkson, May 2.—Mrs. Asa Quick and Miss Blanche Morehouse spent Saturday at Kingston.

James White returned home Sunday after spending a few days out of town.

Mrs. Alonzo Krom spent Sunday with her sisters at Nanpoch.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Slater motored to New York Sunday.

Mrs. Raymond Markle of Accord and sister, Miss Maud Perry, of Kingston, called on Mrs. Maynard DeWitt, who has been ill some time, but is better at this time.

Myron Green spent a few days the past week at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Green.

Miss Myrtle Gillespie and Miss Albertina Anderson have gone to Briarcliff, where they have employment.

Mrs. C. J. Quick has returned to her home after spending the winter at Georgia.

BUSINESS NOTICES.

New records every week. Pathe and Playphone, from 65c to \$3.00. See the new cabinet photograph at \$50.00—\$1.00 per week payments. GREGORY & CO.

Have you tried that new 5c Havana cigar called La Sultana? H. L. DULIN, distributor, 566 Broadway.

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Ladies' tan regular height shoes, at \$3.00, \$3.50, \$4.00 and \$4.50, at C. S. WOOD'S.

SEED POTATOES.

Just received a car of Maine seed potatoes, early and late. C. Baach & Son, Rondout, N. Y.

Boys' caps, 25 and 50 cents, at C. S. WOOD'S.

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The Town of Marlborough in the Revolution—The Committee of Safety and Observation.

(By C. M. Woolsey).

The drama of the Revolution opened in Marlborough as in most other places, on the passage of the non-importation resolutions by the Provincial Congress in 1774, which resolutions and other matters under discussion by the people in relation to the conduct of England toward her colonies led to the formation in cities, towns and precincts, of a Committee of Safety and Observation. The city of New York took the lead by forming a committee of one hundred. Isaac Low, chairman, sent out circulars to the towns and precincts in the province urging the formation of similar committees. In the precinct of New Marlborough a public meeting was called in January, 1775, when a committee was appointed. The following named persons constituted the committee of New Marlborough, though all were not appointed at the first meeting—some of the members were appointed at subsequent meetings to fill vacancies, though all of those named served at some time during the war: Benjamin Carpenter, Abijah Perkins, Lewis DuBois, Wolvert Ecker, Nathan Kelsey, Right Carpenter, Henry Lockwood, John Woolsey, Nick Wygant, Joseph Morey, Richard Carpenter, Silas Purdy, Henry Terboss, John Smith, Henry DuBois, Elijah Lewis, and perhaps Nathaniel Potter. The last named lived just over the line in what is now the town of Lloyd. He acted with the committee and made arrests for them. Jacob Dayton, when arrested by him and examined, was bound over to him. These persons were appointed at public meetings called for that purpose, and the authority they exercised must have been conferred by such meetings. They appear to have had authority to sequester horses, grain and provisions, fix the price for the same, and issue certificates for the payment of rent. They could order the arrest of Tories or persons who were suspected as being unfavorable to the cause of liberty, to have such persons brought before them for examination, and take the evidence and deposition of witnesses, and if they thought proper, could send such persons before the state committee or a general court-martial for trial, together with the examination and depositions taken, and at times they imprisoned persons. They could compel suspected persons to give security to one or more of the committee for their good behavior. They had power to call out the inhabitants, the Tories and other disloyal people who were going off to enlist with the enemy, and to intercept them; also those fearing arrest could voluntarily go before the committee and be regularly examined and allowed to explain their conduct, and if the committee determined that they were loyal, they issued a certificate to them to that effect, which allowed them to remain quiet and peaceable at their homes and exempted them from arrest; they seized the goods of those who joined the enemy, and called meetings of the inhabitants for the raising and organizing of troops. Two or more members of the committee presided at such meetings. They obtained the signatures of the inhabitants who were favorable to the cause of liberty, to the articles of association, and also prepared lists of those who refused to sign and sent such lists to the state committee at New York city.

They recommended persons for offices in the army, also they appear to have had charge of the town or precinct government to a great extent, especially as to those matters which related to the war. The members of the town committee constituted the county committee, and as such they chose the deputies for the county to the provincial convention and appointed or elected deputies to the provincial congress; at least that appears to be the way representatives were chosen during the war. No record can be found that they were elected at any general election. They also appointed all county officers. Apparently the entire committee did not always act together, as many of the papers are signed by but two or more of the committee. It is difficult to ascertain what all their duties were. They issued many orders and appeared in general to have the ability to enforce them, though oftentimes their authority was disputed. They certainly exercised great influence in the cause, were zealous, just and true, and were among the best and most worthy people of the town.

All their services appear to have been meritorious and gratuitous. They were looked up to by their neighbors; their advice and help were sought and they kept posted on the events of the day. The people congregated at their homes to hear the latest news from the seat of war. They looked after the families of those in service, collected provisions and clothing for the army while at Valley Forge and Newburgh, and delivered the same. Benjamin Carpenter was chairman of the committee.

Wolvert Eckert at the south part of the town, or just over the line, had a mill on Jew's creek. He was chairman of the Newburgh committee, and acted also with the committee here, taking great interest in the progress of the war. He kept open house, as it might be said, and every one was welcome. It was quite a place to meet especially on Sundays and it is said, on such occasions he first read a chapter from the Bible, told all the news he had learned and they all discussed the events of the day. He appears to have been a central figure of the committee; and spent his time and money and never lost faith in the cause. He died very poor.

The first duty that this committee performed was to attend a convention at New Paltz on the 7th day of April for the purpose of

electing delegates to a provincial convention.

"At a meeting of the committee of the several towns and precincts, in the county of Ulster, to appoint deputies to serve in the provincial convention at the city of New York, on the 20th day of April, or at such other time and place as may be agreed on. Held at New Paltz in the county aforesaid the 7th day of April 1775. * * * Present: For New Marlborough, Benjamin Carpenter, Esq., Lewis DuBois, Joseph Morey, Abijah Perkins, Silas Purdy and Henry Terboss. Col. Johannes Hardenburgh was chosen president, and Charles DeWitt, George Clinton and Levi Paulding, esquires, were nominated and unanimously elected deputies for the said county to serve in the provincial convention for the purpose of choosing delegates to represent this colony in general congress to meet at the city of Philadelphia, on the 10th of May next; with full power to declare the sense of this county relative to the grievances under which His Majesty's American subjects labor, and of the measures pursuing and to be pursued for obtaining redress, and to join with the deputies for the other counties and cities in this colony at such provincial convention, in instruction to the delegates so as by them to be appointed, if they shall deem it necessary."

Ordered that the same be signed by the president,

JOHANNES HARDENBURGH.

The services of the committee and of the inhabitants of the precinct were again soon called into action. The committee of New York drew up and signed a pledge to stand by the orders and resolutions of the continental and provincial congress, and this pledge was sent for signatures to all the precincts and counties in the province, and for this town was as follows:

"Persuaded that the salvation of the rights and liberties of America depend upon God, on the firm union of its inhabitants in a vigorous prosecution of the measures necessary for its safety; and convinced of the necessity of preventing anarchy and confusion, which attend the dissolution of the powers of government, we, the freemen, freeholders and inhabitants of New Marlborough, being greatly alarmed at the avowed conduct of the ministry to raise a revenue in America and shocked by the bloody scene now acting in Massachusetts Bay, do, in the most solemn manner, resolve, never to become slaves and do associate, under all the ties of religion, honor and love to our country, to adopt and endeavor to carry into execution whatever measures may be recommended by the continental congress, or resolved upon by our provincial convention, for the purpose of preserving our constitution, and opposing the execution of the several arbitrary acts of the British parliament, until a reconciliation between Great Britain and America on constitutional principles (which we most ardently desire,) can be obtained; and that we will in all things follow the advice of our general committee respecting the purposes aforesaid, the preservation of peace and good order, and the safety of individuals and property."

All who signed it were understood to be open and fearless friends of the American cause, whose efforts to influence the patriotic leaders could depend upon, while those refusing to sign would be understood and known as supporters of the king. The proceedings of the New York committee were received here about the 1st of May, and immediately a copy of the pledge was left at Lattintown for signatures. A large number came forward voluntarily and signed their names. Some members of the committee then took the pledge to the home of every one in the precinct who had not signed, but there were some who were fearful of the final ending of the controversy, and feared the displeasure of the English government, anticipating that it might result in war with the mother country. There were many here who were opposed to war on principle, conscience, and all such refused to sign the pledge.

On the 25th day of May the provincial congress directed the committee holding the pledge to return the same by the 15th of July.

Gifts to Tuberculosis Hospital.

The following gifts have been received at the Tuberculosis Hospital, where there are now 21 patients, during the months of March and April: Mrs. Harry Jacobs, children's clothing; Mrs. Morris Block, children's clothing; Mrs. Colligan, children's clothing; Mrs. R. Ostrander, children's clothing; Mrs. DeLong, clothing and shoes; Mrs. L. Healey, two pairs of baby's booties; Mrs. William Pultz, jelly; Mrs. DeShultz, magazines and old linen; Stuyvesant Barber Shop, magazines; Mrs. Chester Noon, Christian Herald; Mrs. M. Cashman, children's clothing; Mrs. Lillian Higgins, piece of cheese cloth; A Friend, baby's clothing, men's shirts and old linen; A Friend, children's under waists; Mrs. Vernon Faulkner, clothing contributed by herself and Mrs. Brooks; Mrs. C. O'Connor, Mrs. M. Herzog, Mrs. Charles Carter, Mrs. J. Sweeney, and Mrs. Colligan, toys; Mrs. John Forsyth, two dozen eggs; Mrs. J. Clark, children's clothing; Mrs. Viola Bishop, magazines; Miss Sparling, clothing; Mrs. R. Rowe, woman's hat; Mrs. Tongue, old linen; Mrs. Frank Powley, jellies and magazines; Mrs. George Hutton, magazines; Mrs. Shultz, magazines; A Friend, Children's Club, of the following members: Ruth Keator, Marion Henley, Mary Coffin, Helen Fitzgerald, Mildred Healey, Sylvia Releya, Helen Strickland, Lillian Coffin, children's stockings and hair ribbons; Mrs. J. T. Johnson, old linen; A Friend, \$1; women of the Church of the Comforter, magazines; Mr. Mahoney, magazines; Mrs. Guilford Hasbrouck, women's clothing. There is still one little girl, about five years old, who with her mother is at the hospital.

May Day Thursday.

The plant and office of the George Hauck & Sons Brewing Co. will be closed Thursday, May 3, "allowing their employees to celebrate their annual May Day holiday."—Advertisement.

ON THE DIAMOND.

Games Played Yesterday in the Big Leagues.

National League.

Yesterday's Results.

Chicago, 9; St. Louis, 9.
All other games postponed on account of rain and cold.

Standing of the Clubs.

	W.	L.	P.C.
New York	8	4	.667
Chicago	10	7	.588
St. Louis	9	7	.563
Boston	5	5	.500
Philadelphia	6	6	.500
Cincinnati	9	10	.474
Pittsburgh	7	11	.389
Brooklyn	3	7	.300

American League.

Yesterday's Results.

Washington, 3; New York, 2.
All other games postponed on account of rain and cold.

Standing of the Clubs.

	W.	L.	P.C.
Boston	9	4	.692
Chicago	10	6	.625
New York	7	6	.538
St. Louis	8	7	.533
Cleveland	8	9	.471
Philadelphia	6	8	.429
Detroit	5	9	.357
Washington	5	9	.357

International League.

Yesterday's Results.

Buffalo, 16; Richmond, 9.
All other games postponed on account of rain.

Standing of the Clubs.

	W.	L.	P.C.
Baltimore	12	3	.800
Newark	8	3	.727
Providence	6	6	.500
Richmond	7	8	.467
Rochester	6	7	.462
Toronto	6	8	.429
Montreal	5	8	.385
Buffalo	3	10	.231

Games Scheduled Today.

National League.

Brooklyn at New York, partly cloudy.
Boston at Philadelphia, clear.
St. Louis at Pittsburgh, clear.
Cincinnati at Chicago, clear.

American League.

New York at Washington, clear.
Philadelphia at Boston, cloudy.
Chicago at Cleveland, clear.
Detroit at St. Louis, partly cloudy.

International League.

All International League games for today have been moved forward and already played as double headers.

CHICHESTER.

Chichester, May 2.—Dr. and Mrs. John Hasbrouck of New Jersey have been spending a few days at their summer home in Silver Hollow.

Mr. and Mrs. Eli Pierce are visiting friends in this place.

William Frost of Schenectady is spending a few days with his mother here.

Francis and Jennie Hazard of Kingston have been visiting friends here.

William Schwarzwaelder returned to this place May 1, after spending the winter in Kingston. He has given all of his employees who wish it, the use of a piece of land for cultivation.

Alma and Margaret Keator spent Saturday and Sunday in Haines Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ennis and son, Kenneth, spent Thursday in Poughkeepsie.

Wedding Bells to Ring.

William Doong, famed as the Catskill Chinese laundryman who makes out laundry checks in English, will soon journey to San Francisco to wed Weng Sie of that city. They will make their home in Catskill.

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Use of Mineral Oil.

Dr. Le Tanneur contributes to the Paris Medical some practical points in the use of mineral oil in constipation. The oil, he says, is in no way digested or even modified by the juices of the stomach and intestines. It acts as a lubricant and nothing else, though it tends to heal abrasions of the intestinal wall caused by rough particles of food.

The New York Medical Journal says mineral oil should be taken either before breakfast or after dinner, two tablespoonfuls being a dose. Its use should be continued every day for at least a fortnight, when the bowels will continue to work naturally without it, for the mineral oil is in no sense a cathartic, but it will cure constipation.—Kingston Daily Freeman, February 17, 1917.

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STREET GOSSIP ABOUT TOWN

"Well I see where patriotism is rampant in the bosoms of some retail dealers in Kingston," said the street corner politician to his friend.

"What do you mean?" asked the friend.

"Why," explained the politician, "owing to the fact that we are at war and there has been no advance in the price of tomato seed the tomato plants has been advanced 10 cents a dozen over last year's price."

"How do you know?" asked the friend.

"By pricing them for my garden," replied the politician, "last year they sold for fifteen cents a dozen and this year they are asking twenty-five cents."

"That is always the way though," interrupted the friend.

"I know it," replied the politician, "and so was not surprised when I learned that tomato plants had jumped in price."

"Well it is generally due to the wholesale dealers that prices jump," argued the friend.

"Not always," replied the politician.

"What do you mean?" asked the friend.

"Just let a rumor circulate that there is a shortage in any article," said the politician, "and no matter how much there may be on hand in Kingston you will find some retail dealer jumping the price."

"They do it elsewhere besides Kingston," argued the friend.

"I know it," replied the politician, "and changing the subject have you seen the new iron cops that have been placed on duty?"

"You mean the iron standards at intersections of busy streets?" asked the friend.

"You hit it," said the politician.

"I think it a mighty fine idea," continued the politician, "and now the police force should make drivers of all vehicles follow the directions on the cross arms."

"They will," replied the friend.

"They do their best," said the politician, "but in order that traffic conditions may be improved all should aid the police in observing regulations."

"What do you mean," queried the friend.

"I mean," explained the politician, "that drivers of wagons seem to labor under the belief that traffic rules are only meant for those driving automobiles."

"It does look that way," confessed the friend.

"It's a shame the way some wagons drive from one side of the street to the other," continued the politician, "and drive past trolley cars without waiting for a passenger to alight or get on the car."

"I noticed that myself," interrupted the friend.

"One good thing I have noticed by the Freeman," continued the politician, "the fact that the police and recorder Lang are co-operating in assisting that drivers shall tie their horses and not allow them to wander up and down blocking traffic."

"I approve of that myself," interrupted the friend.

"And in order to make traffic conditions better," continued the politician, "the general public, as I have said before, must work in harmony with the police."

"I see this is Cleanup Week," remarked the friend suddenly changing the subject.

"Yes and we had Cleanup Week at our house last week," replied the politician.

"How was that?" asked the friend.

"We housecleaned," replied the politician briefly.

"What do you think of the idea of a Cleanup Week?" asked the friend.

"I am in favor of it," replied the politician, "and I think it the patriotic duty of every resident to clean up."

"Why?" queried the friend.

"There is nothing that adds more to the attractiveness of a city than clean yards and clean streets," explained the politician.

SAMSONVILLE.

Samsonville, May 1.—Our pastor, the Rev. Mr. Thompson, will continue his meetings Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday evenings of this week.

Miss Edna Kelder is spending a week with her sister, Mrs. Jason Gray, at Accord.

Mrs. Zane Harringer has returned from Kingston after spending a week with her daughter, Mrs. Henry Van Kleeck, who is ill.

Mrs. Fred J. DeWitt of Pittsfield, Mass., is spending a few weeks with her father, J. H. Kelder.

Miss Genevieve Moore is spending some time in Kingston.

Our teacher, Miss Becker, is practicing her pupils for Arbor Day exercises.

J. W. Kelder was in Kingston on Saturday.

Mrs. J. H. Beiler, who has been spending two weeks visiting friends along the Hudson, has returned home.

Mrs. Olaf Pederson and son, William, spent a couple of days in Kingston last week.

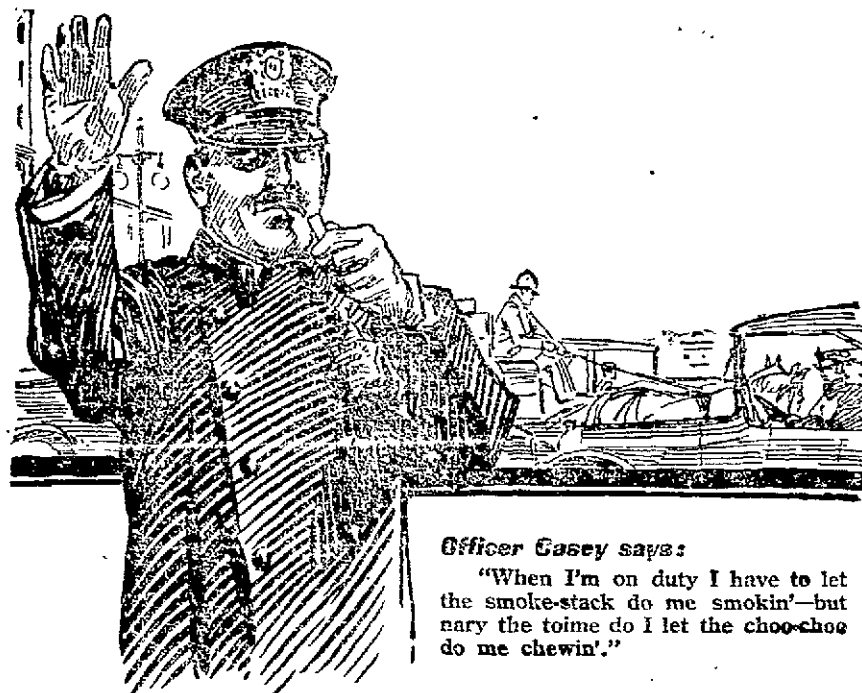
Arker Kelder and family of Napton motored to this place Sunday and called at the home of J. H. Kelder. Their son, Ford, attended the afternoon service here and gave a very interesting talk.

John Harringer and Charles Verrier of Krumville were callers at J. W. Kelder's Saturday evening.

Mrs. J. Lennon and children, and Mrs. Della Van Elton of Palenstown spent Saturday afternoon with Mrs. Harvey Harringer.

A number of our young people expect to leave soon for Woodstock Lake. Mrs. Minnie Harringer and daughter, Miss Bessie, left May 1 for Haines Falls, where they will spend the summer.

Jesse Shurter has opened an ice



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—Washington Star.

Great philosophers and statesmen, an authority declares, have been noticed to have large and sloping ears.

—Exchange.

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Dated, November 7, 1916.

SARAH BARNHART, and CATHERINE BARNHART, Administratrices, etc., of the estate of John J. Campbell, deceased.

A. T. Clearwater, Attorney for Administratrix, Ulster County Savings Bank Building, Kingston, New York.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS—In pursuance of an order of Hon. Walter N. Gill, surrogate of Ulster county, notice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having claims against John J. Campbell, late of the town of Kingston, county of Ulster, deceased, intestate, to present the same with the vouchers in support thereof, to the undersigned, Anne T. Campbell, the administratrix of the estate of said deceased, at Lake Katine, Ulster county, N. Y., in the said town of Ulster, on or before the 10th day of June, 1917.

Dated, December 8, 1916.

ANNE T. CAMPBELL, Administratrix of the estate of John J. Campbell, deceased.

Y. B. Van Wagoner, Attorney, Kingston, N. Y.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS—In pursuance of an order of Hon. Walter N. Gill, surrogate of Ulster county, notice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having claims against Kate Heston, late of the town of Marlborough, county of Ulster, deceased, intestate, to present the same with the vouchers in support thereof, to the undersigned, the estate of Kate Heston, deceased, at Lake Katine, Ulster county, N. Y., in the said town of Ulster, on or before the 15th day of June, 1917.

Dated, November 12, 1916.

NOSES S. DAVIS, Administratrix, etc., of the estate of Kate Heston, deceased.

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Dated, November 12, 1916.

NOSES S. DAVIS, Administratrix, etc., of the estate of Kate Heston, deceased.

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We will do it with pure distilled water and at the same time keep a sharp eye on the battery's condition.

Your car's battery needs watering weekly regardless of whether you're using the car or not—neglect of this feature will mean a less efficient battery with a shorter life.

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Dated, October 21, 1916.

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where much of the good things
of life originate. Our showing
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Special Prices all Week in Enamelware,
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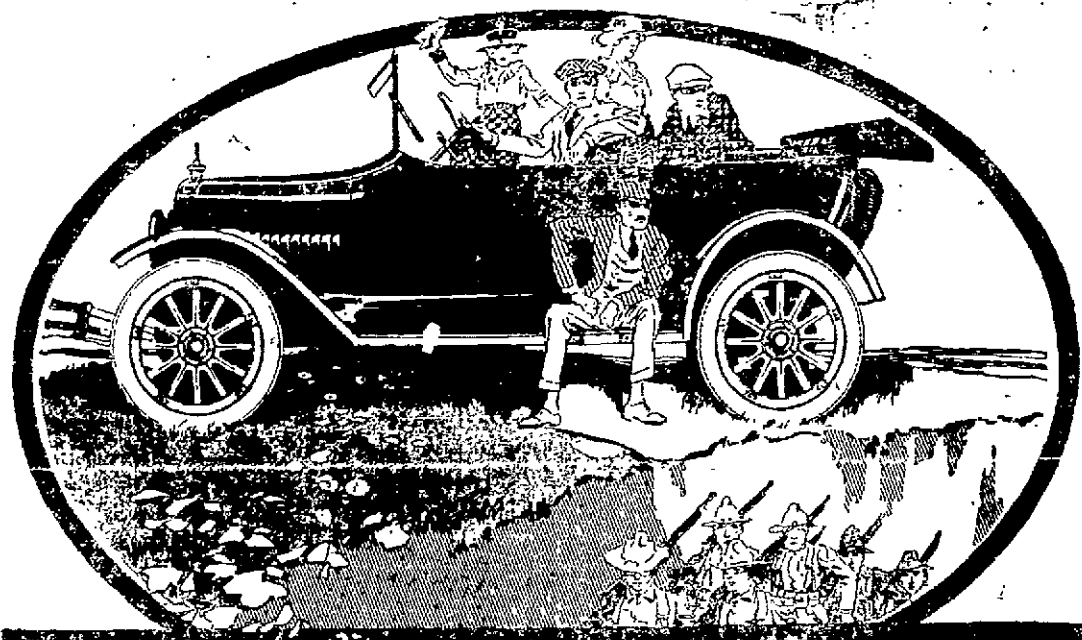
PARENTS OF BOY SCOUTS TO MEET

All Who Have Boy Scouts or Expect
to Have Boy Scouts are Invited to
be at Y. M. C. A. Tonight—4, of C.
Committee to Assist Campaign.

This evening at 8 o'clock the par-
ents of the Kingston Boy Scouts will
meet at the Y. M. C. A. for a short
conference. All parents who have
Boy Scouts or expect soon to have
Boy Scouts are cordially invited to
be present.

The Chamber of Commerce heart-
ily endorses the Boy Scout move-
ment and have appointed the follow-
ing committee from within the
Chamber to assist in promoting the
local campaign: Aaron Cohen, Ward
B. Everett, George E. Whitaker, E.
P. MacFadden and David Burgwin.
Tuesday morning William H.
Weisheit and John B. Flanagan,
of the national headquarters, R. S. of
A, spoke before the student body in
the high school auditorium. The
speakers pointed out that the scout
work aims not merely to make fine
builders and trappers, signallers and
"first aid" experts; but it strives to
develop a spirit of loyalty to team
and club and school. It goes
farther still. It trains the scouts to
feel a joy at being under strain and
to be always eager for keen competi-
tion and hard "uphill" tasks.

Edward Stelle, editor of "The
Observer," speaking for the day, sup-
plemented the two previous speakers
with the story of a former local Boy
Scout patrol. Mr. Stelle mentioned
the members of that patrol one by
one and told how each had since
gone out and made good.



Almost Every American Family Can Own a Maxwell Car

Because it costs only \$6 to \$8 a month to run a Maxwell—much
less than the average American family spends on luxuries

The average American family spends a great deal more
than \$6 or \$8 a month on amusements and luxuries, most of
which mean nothing—wouldn't even be missed.

If you owned a Maxwell you'd want to be out in it as
much as possible.

—which automatically would cut out more than enough
of the cost of other pastimes to cover the cost of running your
Maxwell.

—and besides, you'd be living better, healthier, happier,
in the great out of doors.

—and you'd take your place in the world as the owner of
a motor car.

That's what the brains behind the Maxwell have done
—given the world a car every man can own.

An achievement! Isn't it?

The Proof of These Statements

There's no theory about these cost-of-operation figures.
They're based on what thousands of Maxwell owners are ac-
tually doing—running their cars on an absolute outlay of only
\$5 to \$8 a month.

These enthusiastic Maxwell owners tell us, too, that they
get upwards of 30 miles out of a gallon of gasoline—many
do better than that.

The Maxwell holds the world's record for a non-motor-
stop run. A Maxwell stock car made 22,022 miles in 44 days
and nights—went 22 miles on every gallon of gasoline used
on that long jaunt.

We could tell of many other supreme tests of Maxwell
power, endurance and economy.

—magnificent deeds, never equalled by any other automo-
bile.

—but we'll cite just one more:

A woman drove this Maxwell 9,700 miles.

Mrs. Miriam Seeley, Professor at the Oregon Agricultural
College, drove a 1915 Maxwell over the Continent and back
in a Maxwell.

Her total expense account was 1 1/2 cents a mile, including
gasoline, oil and repairs.

And, remember, her journey was made on all sorts of roads
—good and bad—across the desert and over the mountains.
That's the Maxwell! Isn't that the car for the man who
knows the worth of a dollar?

The World's Greatest Motor Car Value

The Maxwell touring car, equipped with all accessories,
costs you today only \$565 f. o. b. Detroit. Yet every bit of
metal in it is the finest obtainable for the purpose used, and is
rigidly subjected to the most advanced scientific tests.

Material cost has risen tremendously. How, then, can the
best be used in a car priced so low?

The answer is—

—the purchasing power of an institution as vast as the
Maxwell Motor Company.

—the most efficient machinery.

—the brainiest and most skillful mechanics,

vigilant and scrupulous technical and executive supervision,

—and the development of one model, of time-tried and
proved design, to as near perfection as brains and skill can
make it.

The Maxwell engine is a marvel of power and punch—

simple, steady, durable and flexible.

Maxwell parts are all of known efficiency—not an experi-
mental item in the whole car.

Maxwell—a Car to be Proud of

With refinement of finish, with grace and dignity of form
and line—your Maxwell will show up splendidly alongside any
car.

It is roomy and comfortable, too.

Let the Car Speak for Itself

Come to our sales rooms and look the Maxwell over,

—inspect the car thoroughly, inside and out,

—ask us as many questions as you want to.

—you needn't take anything on faith, for every statement
made here can be verified.

The Maxwell will make good, and we know it.



Stuyvesant Garage

248 Clinton Av. Kingston, N. Y.



SOCIETY NOTES.

The marriage of Miss Marion Cay-
wood of Marlborough and Constan-
tine Robson, of New York city, will
take place in the Presbyterian Church
in Marlborough on Saturday evening,
May 5, at six o'clock. A reception
will follow the ceremony at the
bride's home.

Wesley Marie Schwalbach, daughter
of Mr. and Mrs. William Schwal-
bach of Prospect street, was the
guest of honor at a birthday party
given in honor of her first birthday on Tues-
day afternoon. The little guests
were Susan Savene, Marion and
Lula Ross, Sophie Dunbar, Mar-
quette Condon, Beatrice Gerlach,
Mary Quest, Katherine and John
DeBach, Gordon Richards, Car-
oline Bechtold, John and Joseph
West, John and Joseph Mulligan.
The little hostess received many
gifts from her friends. During the
afternoon game, were played and
refreshments were served, there be-
ing a fine birthday cake with its
lighted candles.

Regular D. A. R. Meeting.

The Red Cross work at Watkyn
Chapter, D. A. R. Chapter house, was
discussed on Thursday after-
noon of this week, as the regular
meeting of the chapter will be held
on that afternoon at 3 o'clock, pre-
ceded by the usual local board meet-
ing. The program will be in charge
of Mrs. Kenyon and Mrs. John G.
Henderson and the hostesses will be
Mrs. Hansen and Mrs. Hottel.

Wijkoff Club Elects Officers.

The Wijkoff Club of St. John's
Episcopal Church, held its annual
meeting at the parish house on Tues-
day evening, electing the following
officers: President, Miss Helen
Thomas; first vice president, Mrs.
Fred Winters; second vice president,
Miss Ethel Green; secretary, Mrs.
Jerry Harris; treasurer, Miss Louise
Thomas. Next Tuesday evening the
club will hold its regular meeting
the place of meeting to be announ-
ced in The Freeman later in the week.

Fraternal Entertainment at Watson
Hollow Inn.

Watson Hollow Inn will be open
to Sigma Chapter of the Delta Gam-
ma Fraternity on Friday of this
week, May 4. On that day eighty
young women, in attendance at the
annual convention held in Saugus,
Mass., will be taken for a trip around
the Asokan reservoir and will stop at
the inn for afternoon tea. Additional
festivities planned for the en-
tertainment of the delegates will in-
clude a banquet at the Maxwell
House and the annual ball to be held
on the evening of May 4.

Watson Hollow Inn will be open to
the public on and after Saturday,
May 5, and afternoon tea, dinner and
supper may be enjoyed at the inn at
any time thereafter.

Last Social Event of Season.

The Day Nursery Dance to be
given at St. Mary's Hall, by the mem-
bers of the Monday Afternoon Sew-
ing Club, on Saturday evening of
this week, for the benefit of the
nursery, promises to be a great suc-
cess, especially as it will be the last
notable social event of the season. At
the dance comes on a Saturday eve-
ning, dancing will begin promptly at
8 o'clock and 12 o'clock will see the
close of the event. Therefore, the
many persons who enjoy dancing and
who anticipate attendance at this af-
fair are asked to come early in order
that they may have the full benefit
of the four hours of dancing, to the
music of Malsenholder's orchestra.
Delicious refreshments will be served
and still the tickets will be only
half of what they were last year, that
is, one dollar each. A large atten-
dance, of the benefit of this charity,
is urged.

Garden Club.

The Garden Club met on Tuesday
evening at the home of Miss Sarah
Orton on Albany avenue. Mrs. Hix-
son, the president, presiding,
showed the routine business, a
question box was held and many
valuable and practical questions
received practical and useful an-
swers. The club had been asked to
organize in the maintenance of the
Garden Academy green and the
Garden committee was appointed.
Mrs. G. D. H. Hixson, Mrs. Hixson,
Mrs. Ed. Condon and Mrs. Everett
Chandler were appointed. A com-
mission was received from Mrs.
George Chandler, relative to the
women's assistance in the military
cause, and letters were given out.
Letters relative to the nation wide
movement received from the
Garden Clubs of America, which had

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come to the local organization, were
so valuable that they were forwarded
to Secretary Canfield, of the Cham-
ber of Commerce. The club has as
its special guest Mrs. Charles Can-
field, formerly of this city. An
announcement will be made later of the
place of the next meeting.

Whiteport.

Mrs. John Mooney has returned to
her home in Brooklyn.
Mrs. Mary Hartman, who has been
spending the past two months with
her son in Brooklyn, has returned
home accompanied by her friend,
Mrs. May, who will spend the sum-
mer with Mrs. Hartman in this place.
Peter Forgy of Jersey City is vis-
iting his parents in a few days and
on Sunday called on Mrs. Osterhout.
Joe Osterhout is busy plowing
garden these days.
Luther Keaton's team is plowing
for Joe Mooney.

Walter Hurst of Philadelphia spent
Sunday with Miss Lizzie Sherman and
in the afternoon they drove over and
called on friends at Springtown.

Fred Proper of Ulster Park was a
caller on Frank Straub and family on
Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Dumond of
Kingston spent Sunday with Mr. and
Mrs. Frank Straub.

Fourth Bluewater.

Ernest Hayes has purchased a
broader stove to care for his young
children.

Frank and Minnie Schrowang are
now on the road, having sold their
farm on Saturday to Mr. Goldstein of
New York city. They now own only
a house and buggy and are using this
for a home.

Mary C. Allen of New York city
has rented S. Elmendorf's cottage at
the crossroads, for the season and
with her two children have moved in.



GEN. PETAIN CLAIM TO BE FRENCH CHIEF OF STAFF.

General Petain, who commanded
the French army during the critical stage of the bat-
tle in 1914 and March, 1916, is
to be appointed chief of staff at the
Ministry of War, according to the
papers from Paris. The post of
chief of staff was discontinued some
time ago, but is now about to be re-
vived.

Home Gardens in Pontchartré.

A conference on home gardens was
held in Public School No. 4 Tuesday
evening under the auspices of the
Parent-Teachers' Association. In
which experiences in gardening were
exchanged and much practical in-
formation gained. At the conclu-
sion of the association officers
of the garden committee were ap-
pointed. Mrs. David G. H. Hixson,
Mrs. Hixson and Mrs. Hixson were
appointed to nominate candidates for the various
offices.

Hudson River Shad Running.

Hudson river shad are now run-
ning and may be had from fish de-
alers in town. The first catch reported
was on Tuesday.

WAR MAY LAST FOR YEARS IS WARNING

Cabinet Members Talk of Ger-
many's War Strength and Two
Years' Food Supply—War May
Yet Be Fought This Side of
Atlantic.

By Telegram to The Freeman

Washington, May 2.—Emphatic

warnings that the present war may

last for years was given the repre-

sentatives of the various states

gathered here today to plan con-

certed action in aiding the federal

government to win the conflict.

Cabinet members in close touch with

President Wilson made this plain.

Secretary of War Baker was one of

these. He did not deal in terms of

days, months or years, but made it

positive that Germany's war

strength is far from being ex-

hausted.

It was Secretary of the Interior

Franklin K. Lane, however, who

presented the strongest plea. He

declared that the war may yet be fought

on the side of the Atlantic of the

United States does not "beat Ger-

many to it."

"We are 3,000 miles from the

fighting line," he said, "and we must

get there somehow. The ship yards

of this nation surely can speed up

construction of ships to meet this

emergency. And I am sure that the

inventive genius of the nation will

yet find a means of successfully

combating the submarine menace.

"We should not be preparing for

a one year war. Germany, according

to National Food Commissioner

Herbert Hoover, has sufficient food

to last her two years. She has eigh-

teen millions of cattle. She has

iron in abundance and plenty of

coal. She has put up the greatest

fight the world ever has, and she

should profit by her preparation and

lay out her plan not for one year

but for future years.

"The hope of the French is that

the morale of the German army will

continue to break. The hope of this

nation is that the morale of the

American people will continue to

rise.

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MAY COAL PRICES NOT FIXED YET

Local Retail Dealers Unable to Get

Quotations From Wholesalers as to

May Prices of Coal—Selling in

Small Lots Only.

The May prices for coal have not

been fixed as yet in Kingston, owing

to the fact that the retail dealers

have not the slightest idea as to what

prices they will be charged for their

coal by the wholesalers, who have

not issued a price circular. Coal is

not being received in plentiful sup-

plies by local dealers and none of

them have received enough coal to

fill orders they have accepted for

next month's business.

Just enough coal is being received

to keep the local trade supplied

with orders in quarter ton lots.

For a quarter ton, delivered, \$2 is

the rate of incorporation with the

state of Albany and in the

Utter county, clerk's office. The

company is organized to manu-

facture carburetors and has a capital

of \$100,000, consisting of 1,000

shares of the par value of \$100

each. The directors are Robert

Grant, George W. Downing and

Frederick Barber, all of New York

A PROFITABLE DAY'S WORK.

Ed Joseph of New York Gets \$1,000

for His Railroad Bid.

Ed Joseph of the Hotel Plaza,

New York, and Aaron Katz, the

Kingston junk dealer, made a most

profitable trip to Catskill a week

ago when Mr. Joseph bid in the

Catskill Mountain Railroad for \$25,-

000. It was the intention to junk

the road, it is said, but afterward

Mr. Joseph learned from the Public

Service Commission, second district

that he would be compelled to oper-
ate the railroad. Accordingly, he

assigned his bid to the Messrs.

Grant and George L. Beach for

\$1,000. The new owners will form

a corporation which will take over

the Catskill Mountain, Otis, and

Catskill and Tannersville roads,

operating them as one system.

Esopus Carburetors.

The Downing Carburetor Cor-
poration, with principal office in

the city and in the Messrs.

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THE MAN WHO FLIES.

He Should Be Young and Robust Both

in Body and Mind.

The work of an aviator demands ro-

bust health of both body and mind.

From leakage of petrol sprays the pilot

may become dizzy, and the exhaust

passes from the engine—carbon monox-

ide and fumes—may cause headache,

drowsiness and malaise. The rejected

air at great elevations may induce the

symptoms well known to balloonists,

and Wells refers to a case of frostbite

in an aviator who had been exposed to

34 degrees of frost at an elevation of

15,000 feet. Psychasthenic symptoms

—namely, loss of self confidence and

the resulting mental worry (aerosthe-

nia)—are not uncommon and prove that

the aviator has mistaken his sphere of

activity.

Flying is undoubtedly the job of a

young man under thirty years of age,

and not every young man is tempera-

